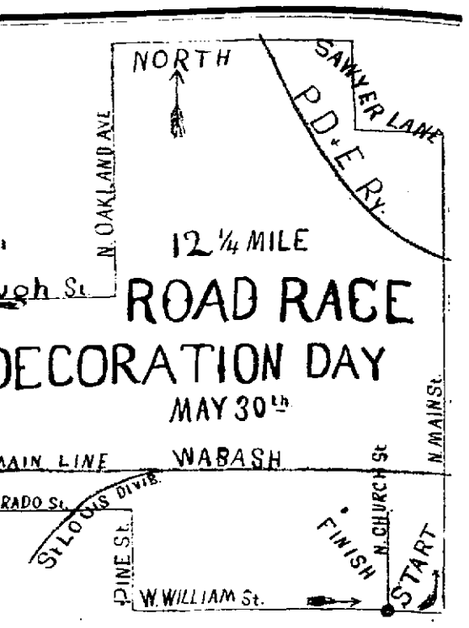

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On the shoulders are little prominences in place of wings and under the breast is a long beak for suction. These little creatures when liberated from the shell are very lively, and their movements are nearly as quick as those of ants. After a few moments their instincts prompt them to get to the ground, but in order to reach it they do not descend the body of the tree, neither do they cast off themselves precipitately; but, running to the side of the limb, they deliberately loosen their hold, and fall to the earth. It seems, then, they are not bearer to the ground in the egg state by the limbs in which their nests are contained, but spontaneously make the perilous descent immediately after they are hatched, without any clew, like that of the cracker-worm, to carry them in safety through the air and break the force of their fall. On reaching the ground the insects immediately bury themselves in the soil, burrowing by means of their broad and strong fore feet, which, like those of the mole, are admirably adapted for digging. In their descent into the earth they seem to follow the roots of plants, and are subsequently found attached to those which are most tender and succulent, perforating them with their beaks, and thus imbibing the vegetable juices, which constitute their sole nourishment. Here they remain ten, thirteen or seventeen years, but they do not descend very deeply into the ground. As the time of their transformation approaches they ascend towards the surface. When the proper time arrives they issue from the ground in great numbers in the night; crawl up the trunks of trees, or upon any other object in their vicinity to which they can fasten themselves securely by their claws. After having rested awhile they prepare to cast off their skins, which, in the meantime, have become dry and of an amber color. By repeated exertions a longitudinal rent is made in the skin of the back, and through this the included Cicada pushes its head and body, and withdraws its wings and limbs from their separate cases, and, crawling to a little distance, it leaves its empty pupa-skin, apparently entire, still fastened to the tree. At first the wing covers are very small and opaque, but, being very perfectly soft and flexible, they soon grow out to their full dimensions, and in the course of a few hours the superfluous moisture of the body evaporates, and the insect becomes strong enough to fly."

I will be glad to receive any corrections of the above statements that are based upon careful observations this year.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. and Mrs. I. N. Barnes are in Hammond to-day.

D. S. Shellabarger and family are now at San Jose, California.

Miss Alethea Fuller, of Springfield, is the guest of Miss Louie Boyd.

Mrs. Ed. Carter is entertaining Mrs. A. C. Waterhouse, of Chicago.

R. E. Pratt will arrive in the city this evening to remain until Thursday.

Mrs. Ralph Templeton, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Templeton.

Mrs. Frank Whitsel, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elwood, departed last night for her home in Chicago.

Mrs. M. A. Young, who has been in Chicago since last September visiting her daughter, will arrive in Decatur to-night.

Miss Bertha Cash, who has been in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Thayer, left to-day for her home in Newman, Ill.

William Clark arrived home last evening from a visit in Champaign county. Mr. Clark says that the prospects are fine for good crops of all kinds and that the soil is in excellent condition.

Mrs. Hattie Stare and Miss Clara Stare, of Decatur, and Mrs. M. C. Ritchie, of Warrensburg, have returned from the Woman's General Missionary meeting of the Church of God, held at Independence, Iowa.

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MOST PERFECT
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Summer Coats and Vests.

WE SHOW

the largest line of stylish, well cut and made, and at unheard-of prices—"cheaper than stealing." We have them in neat effects from $2.00 for Coat and Vest, up to the finest made.

We have an extra large line of "extra long" coats and vests in nice goods for professional men.

Straw Hats for the Million.

COME AND SEE.

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WILTONS AXMINSTERS VELVETS BRUSSELS MOQUETTES INGRAINS RUGS OIL CLOTHS

REMNANTS.

This week's sale of Remnants in Linoleums and Oil Cloths; Carpets, all grades, over 2,000 yds; Mattings, in great variety, 1,500 yards. Lace, Silk, Chenille and Swiss Curtains. Window Shades, 10c and up. Wall Paper, 5c and up.

This eclipses any previous spring sale for quality, style and price. COME EARLY.

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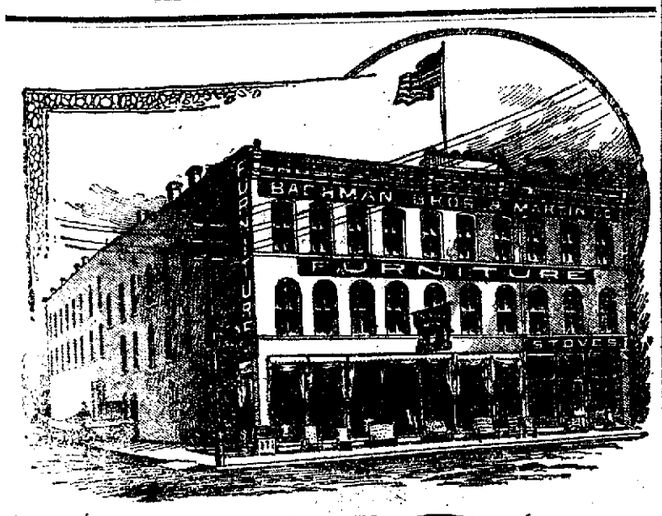

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Bachman Bros. & Martin Co.,

240--248 East Main Street.

FEMALE MARINES.

The "Daughters of the Regiment" Accompaning Kelley,

POSING AS FUGITIVES FROM JUSTICE.

Pretty "Girls" Who are Married and Should be with Their Husbands—Why Kelley Tolerates Them on the Flotilla.

ST. LOUIS, May 30.—The Post-Dispatch, in its account of the arrival at this port of the Kelley navy, speaks thus of the "angels" accompanying the fleet:

"Next to Kelley, the individuals who attract the most attention at the Industrials' camp are two good-looking girls whom the men call "angels." They do not look like the angels I saw pictured in the family Bible that was on the parlor table when I was a boy, and I don't believe they are the same kind of angels. I haven't talked with them much, and do not care to, but I have heard them talk to others, and although their actions and language have been perfectly proper they did not impress me as the genuine heavenly beings. I do dot mean to intimate that they are immoral, but they have no business in being mixed up with the Kelleyites, and the sooner they clear out the better it will be for themselves and Kelley.

"One calls herself Edna Harper, and the other says her name is Anna Hooten. They claim to be typewriters. I happen to know that both have been married. I don't know why they are not now with their husbands, and I don't care. Kelly explains their presence by saying that when the army was encamped near Council Bluffs, surrounced by militia and shut off from every means of transportation, these young women stole a Union Pacific train, ran it to the industrials' camp and turned it over to him. He refused to take it or do anything else contrary to law, but the action of the young women met with the unanimous approval of the multitude of sympathizers who had come to the camp from Omaha and Council Bluffs. Warrants for their arrest were issued, but someone spirited them out of the country, and when they threw themselves on his protection and pleaded to accomppny the army he reluctantly acquiesced. The men approved of his action, for none of them wanted them to go to prison, and Kelley says that there has not been one word of disrespect to the "angels" during the journey. This sounds all right, but most men have a tender feeling for the better sex, and to see a couple of young and not unattractive women mingling with 1,200 penniless men on a journey across the continent is, to say the least, not an ennobling spectacle."

THE MANEY COURT-MARTIAL.

If Lieut. Maney is Convicted an Appeal to the Supreme Court Will be Taken.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 30.—The court-martial engaged in the trial of Lieut. James A. Maney, of the fifteenth infantry, for the murder of Capt. Hedberg at Fort Sheridan, was resumed yesterday morning at Fort Snelling. On the calling of the court to order Lieut.-Col. Barr, judge advocate, noted the refusal of the United States circuit court to grant the writ of prohibition asked for by the defense. He moved that this refusal be made a part of the record of the case, and that the arguments of counsel be also placed on the record.

F. B. Blair, attorney for Lieut. Maney, preceded the examinations of witnesses by a formal objection to evidence tending to show that Lieut. Maney provoked the fatal quarrel with Capt. Hedberg, as these specifications constituted the charge of murder. This is done, it is understood, with a view of appealing to the United States supreme court for a writ of habeas corpus if Maney should be convicted of murder and sentenced to confinement in a military prison.

Private Bardell, Al Teggott and Capt. Chapin were then examined, their testimany confirming the story of the shooting told by Sergt. Copeland. The prosecution then rested, and Attorney Blair, for the defense, introduced a certified copy of the court-martial proceedings and the verdict of Capt. Hedberg to show the character of the deceased and the reason he had for feeling hard against Lieut. Maney. This was admitted and Capt. C. A. Cornish was the first witness for the defense, and his testimony was only partially given when the court-martial adjourned till Thursday.

DEWITT'S Sarsaparilla is prepared for cleansing the bloodfirom impurities and disease. It does this and more. It builds up and strengthens constitutions impaired by disease. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

Dr. T. S. Hoskins, Dentist, Opera House Block, ground floor.
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IF dull, spiritless and stupid; if your blood is thick and sluggish; if your appetite is capricious and uncertain. You need a Sarsaparilla. For best results take DeWitt's. It recommends itself. C. H. Dawson.

DECORATION DAY.

Come we again to our trysting
Under the May-day sky,
Unto this place so sacred
Where resting our loved ones lie.
Our hearts deep-laden with sorrow,
Slowly, with reverent tread,
Bringing love's tribute of flowers
To place on the graves of our dead.

Coming anew before us—
Scenes of the by-gone years:
Blending of anguish and gladness
Mingling of triumph and tears;
Here while due homage giving
Pledge we to soldier brave,
Affectionate care while living,
Remembrance and flowers for his grave.

On the heart of love deep written
The scene is before you yet,
Fathers, do you remember,
Mother, can you forget
When alike from mansion and cottage
The pride of your homes came forth
All eager to join the conflict—
Esteeming of little worth
Their lives if need be given
To rescue our fair land
From the gathering storm of treason,
Threatening on every hand.

Proudly you sent them forward,
While hearts were filled with pain;
Mindful, the while, those loved ones
Might never return again;
The cost ne'er a moment counting
If only honor should come
(By the overthrow of treason)
To country and flag and home.

What if to-day they are resting
In known or unknown graves—
Going they struck the shackles
From off four million slaves.
Yonder the sunlight kissing,
Behold! "Old Glory" waves,
They are not dead, who dying,
Their country's honor saves.
Here then, this day assembled,
Let paeans of praise be said—
Even though tears shall moisten
The flowers we place on our dead.

Hushed is the noise of battle,
Silent the cannon's roar;
"Mustered out" are our heroes
Who will march and fight no more.
"The birds their nests have builded
In the unused cannon's mouth."
And royal blood has cemented
Forever the North and South.
Love for the Union is swelling
In every patriotic breast;
The sun in his journey sees not
A land so greatly blessed.
Blessed because ye gave freely
That which was dearest to give
Your loved ones—laid on the altar
That liberty might live.

Brothers, though gone, we greet you
And of your services tell;
Remote from the scenes of conflict
From ye fought or fell.
The long, weary march is ended,
The shock of battle is o'er,
And the muster roll ye answer
Is called on the other shore.
Up to the high parade ground,
With the picket lines all passed,
Stand ye in ranks unbroken
On "dress parade" at last.
On, dread not the Chief Inspector,
For in kindly, gentle tone
Will be issued the final order,
Saying to each, "Well done."

Shall the sacrifice be useless?
Shall the thousands of brave boys slain
Have given their lives for nothing—
Marched, fought, and died in vain?
Shall the nation's starry emblem
Be a sacredly guarded trust,
Float proudly the country over,
Or ignorance trail it in dust?
Oh, youth of the land, now taking
High place in citizen line,
Step forth this day in young manhood
And in high resolve combine
To stand as one for our country,
On freedom's altar swear
That living ye will defend it,
Or die for Old Glory there.
Pledge thus to-day the living
Our altars to maintain,
And then our fallen heroes
Shall not have died in vain.

SAMUEL PARKER.

May 30, 1894.

Sales of Real Estate.

A. W. Conklin to Henry Ahrens, 30 acres in Decatur township—$1,500.

James H. Parker to Anna Wall, a tract in Macon township—$100.

Geo. W. Tuttle to Joseph M. Grindol, 40 feet off the north side of lot 3, block 2, Oglesby & Wait's addition—$600.

Wm. Boles to S. J. Wise, lots 17 and 18 in block 5 of Crowder & Cornthwait's addition—$2,400.

Assessor's Office.

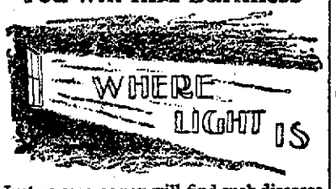
On and after Monday, June 4th, my office will be on South Park street, over Wasnburn's grocery store.

29d6 S. T. KEELER, Assessor.

FRANK JAMES, the surviving brother of the notorious outlaw family of that name, showed what kind of courage it is that the average thug possesses when he fainted the other day while being vaccinated.

Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder
World's Fair Highest Medal and Diploma.

You will find Darkness



Just as soon as you will find such diseases as Fits, St. Vitus Dance, Epilepsy, Sleeplessness and Nervous Prostration thriving where strong, healthy nerves are; and just as darkness is driven out and the air sweetened and purified by the white light of the sun, so

Dr. WHEELER'S NERVE VITALIZER

drives out diseases and puts new life into the nerves which have been preyed upon.

This is why Mrs. G. K. Watts of Brandywine, Va., said:

"I sleep delightfully and my nerves are wonderfully strengthened—never had anything do my nerves so much good."

You don't need this if well and strong, but if weak and nervous, you do.

PRICE $1.00 A BOTTLE

Inquire of druggists for free sample. If not found, write us enclosing five cents (stamps) for postage. The doctor gives free advice to any nerve disease sufferers. All welcome.

We offer $500 to any physician or chemist who can show by analysis or otherwise, that this remedy contains morphine, opium cocaine, or any harmful drug.

The J. W. Brant Co.
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Spring

Goods.

Ferris Suits,
A Novelty for Children, ages 3 to 7.

Junior Suits,
Another for Children, ages 3 to 7.

Knee Pants Suits,
ages 5 to 15.

Boys' Suits,
Ages 13 to 19, in the New Long Cut Sack, Single and Double Breasted Sacks.

Men's Suits,
All kinds, all prices.

OUR JUNIOR.

NEW HATS, Come and See Them

B. STINE Clothing Co.

Carpets, Rugs AND Matting.

Facilities for Buying, Combined with Small Expense, Enables us to be beyond Competition in this line.

Additional Benefits to Consumer For this Entire Season.

If in need of anything in Carpeting you will appreciate the prices we make.

Bradley Bros
DRY GOODS
Decatur Ill.

Agents Standard Patterns and Jouvin Kid Gloves.

NEWEST & LATEST

—IN—

Fine Mantel Clocks.

Reasonable in Price And Elegant for

WEDDING PRESENTS

W. R. Abbott & Co.

Jewelers.

What

Shall you do to save your ducats, is the subject for debate.

Buy your Children's Clothing,
Buy your Boys' Clothing,
Buy your Men's Clothing,
Buy your Hats, Caps and Furnishings

—OF—

The People's Clothier.

Admission Free, and Bargains Distributed without reserve. It makes no difference as to your creed, or what your destination is at the PEOPLE'S CLOTHIER.

Merchant Tailoring Added.

WILL NOONAN, Cutter.

C. J. BRYAN,

The People's Clothier,
Old Post Office Stand,

Our Remodeling Sale

Makes Competitors

Competitors Downed.

Squirm!

Still we will continue to sell goods at a loss just the same. Must have

Ready Cash

at any cost. We are offering the greatest bargains ever offered in Decatur.

It will pay you to lay in a supply of Boots and Shoes for a year ahead at the prices we are making on our entire line. Close buyers like us best. No **"old settlers"** in stock. Goods all new and stylish.

Largest line of Ladies' and Children's Oxfords in the city. *Stick a Pin here:* Ladies' $1.50 Oxfords for 80c a pair.

We will not be undersold by any one. Are having a tremendous trade every day of the week at the present prices. Come at once and take advantage of this the greatest shoe sale ever known in the history of Decatur.

WALTER HUTCHIN,

THE SHOE DEALER,

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SIGN OF BIG SHOE.

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Delivered by carrier to any part of city
Per week, 10 cents; Yearly, in advance..$5.00
Postal card requests, or orders through telephone No. 49, will secure early attention of carriers in any district.
Address THE EVENING REPUBLICAN, 125 South Water street, Decatur, Illinois.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1894.

THE determination of Mr. W. P. Rend, Chicago coal operator, to open up work in his mines near Pittsburg within a week, promises to bring on serious trouble. Mr. Rend has given the strikers notice and if they do not return he will put colored miners in their places. He has provided his mine officers with stacks of Winchester rifles and boxes of ammunition in case of resistance and the miners incensed at the movement are gathering arms to fight and threaten to shoot the negroes. There is evidently an ugly spirit among the strikers in Pennsylvania and further bloodshed is almost certain to occur.

Altgeld's Order.

The order of Gov. Altgeld, of Illinois, with regard to the employment of the militia against the striking coal-miners is open to serious criticism, says the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*. He declares that "it is not the business of soldiers to act as custodians or guards of private property," but "simply to assist the civil authorities in preserving the peace, quelling riots and executing the law," and that "when the owner of property feels it necessary to have it guarded, he must do so at his own expense." This is certainly a most remarkable view of the province of the militia under the conditions of a strike. According to such a theory, no menace against the safety of property—or even of life, for that matter—can justify preventive interference on the part of the soldiers. They must stand idly by with stacked arms while threats are being uttered and preparations made to destroy property, having no right to act until the torch is applied or some other deed of violence is committed. The general understanding of the meaning and purpose of government is that the laws guarantee protection to property in the sense of preventing it from being injured; but Gov. Altgeld repudiates the idea, and declares that the right to protection does not attach until after the injury has been inflicted, or is in process of infliction.

It is easy to remember that in the case of the Homestead strik, the Carnegie people adopted the plan of providing their own guards for their property, and a great cry of indignation went up from the strikers and their sympathizers in consequence of such action. It was insisted at that time by men of socialistic tendencies like Gov. Altgeld that the employment of a special armed force by an employer for the protection of his endangered property was a species of usurpation and tyranny. Speeches of bitter condemnation were made against it in Congress, and laws were passed by various state legislatures prohibiting it as a crime. But the governor of Illinois now officially asserts that the citizen who believes his property to be in peril and is anxious to avert the apprehended damage must depend upon his own resources of defense, and that the militia can do nothing for him in that respect so long as the intimidating force does not actually proceed to carry out its work of destruction. This is equivalent to saying that the state has no right to disperse assemblages that threaten the public peace and order, and to prevent riots instead of waiting for them to occur. There is no warrant for a theory of that kind in our system of government, and the official who adopts it is false to his duty, and guilty of encouraging organized bodies of dissatisfied and irresponsible laborers to break the laws and perpetuate wrongs at their pleasure.

Tariff Uncertainty Kills Trade.

New York *Journal of Commerce:* Amid the multitudinous replies to the senate committee's inquiries among business men, that which comes the nearest to being the general sentiment is expressed by a firm making flavoring extracts in Middletown, N. Y.: "Our traveling salesmen report unwillingness on the part of merchants and manufacturers to place orders until in one way or another the question is settled. The worst tariff possible for the country is an unsettled tariff. For God's sake give us something as soon as possible."

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

HE ENJOYED HIS MUSIC,

And the Ferryboat Passengers Had a Good Time Likewise.

The big propeller ferryboat bearing the passengers from a western express had barely left her slip at Jersey City a few days ago when the passengers were attracted from their papers and conversation by the strains of music. On one of the seats near the middle of the long cabin sat a thin little man, about fifty years old, and on the floor in front of him was a long black box. A broad smile lit up his face as "Sweet Afton," with variations, grew out of the melodious pins in the box, and when the air was finished he changed it to the "Sweet By and By." When it came to the chorus he leaned over, and, touching a little screw, released an attachment that played on a series of bells ranged along the top of the box. The effect was exceedingly sweet and those who had paid little attention at first began to be interested. An old German woman, who had been sitting at the far end of the cabin, moved to a seat opposite the man. Several others followed her example. The next tune was the "Lullaby" from "Erminie." When it began the man shut off the bell accompaniment and put down a stop that made it sound as if the music was being played by mandolins. This seemeds to please him more than ever and he almost laughed aloud. Finally the cylinder rolled around to "Home Sweet Home." Then the man opened the lid of the box, took off all the soft stops and put on the bell accompaniment. The music ran throughout the entire cabin with marvelous sweetness, and from the beginning to the end the man leaned affectionately over the box and kept time with his forefinger as if he was leading the little host of musicians inside. When it came to the variations he got a little mixed on the time. Then his face grew serious and he remained motionless until the air was taken up again, when he continued his leading and allowed the bland smile to play over his features once more. As the boat ran into the slip he turned to the passengers in general and said: "Ain't she a beauty? My father an' mother grev thet to me for New Year up in Lackawanna. I tell yer them's th' kinder folks ter have." He drew the cloth gently around the box, then, picking it up as carefully as though it were a baby, he joined the passing crowd.—N. Y. Recorder.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery, for Consumption, Cough and Colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for Liver Stomach and Kidneys—Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranted to do just what is claimed for them, and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at King & Hubbard's drug store. am

FRANCIS ZURI STONE, who has been writing catarrh ads for a Chicago firm, is to marry Immortille, Countess of Beaconstein, once a beauty of the Austrian court. It was his poetry that caught her.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For Sale By

KING & HUBBARD.

BURGLARS stole 15,000 artificial teeth from a New York store the other night. As these are difficult to dispose of, it may be said that the Knights of the Night have bit off more than they can chew.

Removal.

We take pleasure in announcing that after this date Parks' Sure Cure will remove all traces of Rheumatism, Kidney trouble or Liver complaint from the user. It is to-day the only medicine that is guaranteed to cure these diseases or no pay. Parks' Sure Cure is sold by W. F. Neisler.

THIS season's sale of strawberries are said to exceed any previous year's sales of corresponding date. If the rush keeps on it is feared large numbers of the berries will be crushed in the jam.

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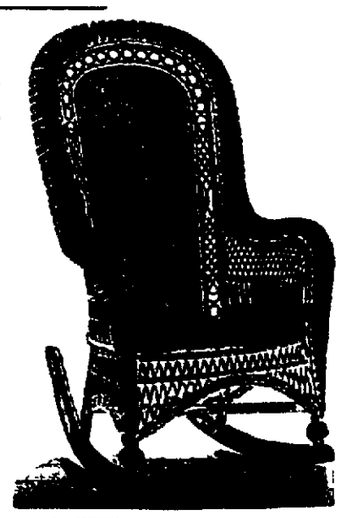

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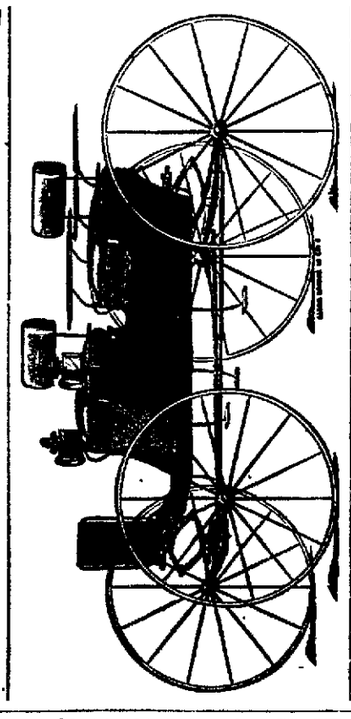

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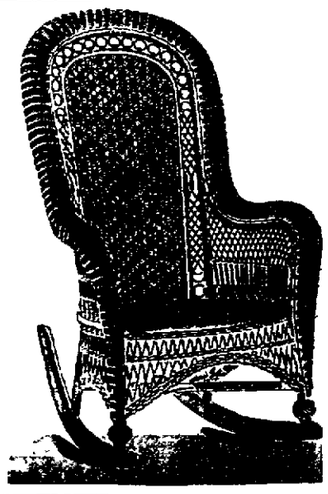

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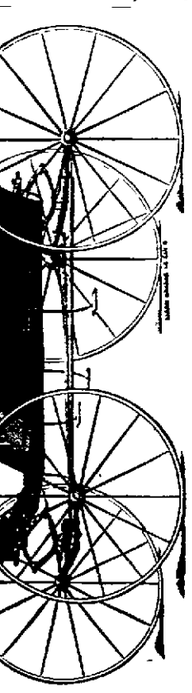

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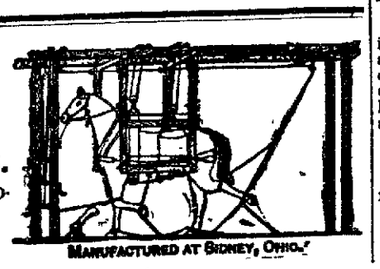

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LOCAL NEWS.

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BUSINESS generally was suspended this afternoon.

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BAND concert at Riverside Park tonight as usual.

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HEAR the band concert at Riverside Park this evening.

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IT will make you feel good to smoke the Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. Call for them.

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M. F. KANAN, of Decatur, has been selected as one of the delegates from the old 14th district to attend the national meeting of the Republican League to be held at Denver.

SATURDAY J. P. Smallwood's running horse, Alcenor, will go in a race at St. Louis for a purse of $5,000. He is entered for the American Derby to come off at Chicago, June 22.

THERE was a surprise birthday dancing party at Prof. Leonard's Academy last night, given in honor of Miss Carrie Leonard. There were about 20 couples present, and delicious refreshments were served to all present. It was a merry party.

MORE sickness is due to a diseased Nervous System than all other diseases combined. Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer acts directly on the Nervous system to restore perfect health. Sold by C. H. Dawson.

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THE JUBILEE MONTH.

Calendar for the Half Century Y. M. C. A. Celebration.

In London, England, June 6, 1844, the Young Men's Christian Association had its birth. The fiftieth anniversary will be celebrated in Decatur at the Christian church tabernacle on Tuesday, June 5th, by a jubilee entertainment, to which invitations have been sent to friends. Secretary Woodford has prepared this jubilee calendar for the month of June:

Sunday, 3d—Jubilee gospel meeting, A. M. Bruner, Rock Island.

Tuesday, 5th—Jubilee Entertainment at tabernacle. 15c admission.

Sunday, 10th—Jubilee gospel meeting, C. B. Turner, Springfield.

Tuesday, 12th—Jubilee board meeting.

Thursday, 14th—Jubilee reception for the Juniors.

Sunday, 17th—Jubilee gospel meeting, F. W. Hopper, Danville.

Thursday, 21—Jubilee midsummer night social, for everybody.

Sunday, 24th—Jubilee gospel meeting, S. D. Adkins, Pana.

Friday, 29th—Jubilee field day—athletic grounds.

Training class at 5 p. m. Sundays; Junior men's meeting at 7:30 Tuesday nights.

The program at the tabernacle will consist of music, singing, gymnasium class work and pictorial history of association work.

All members are requested to turn out and help make this month a jubilee to be remembered.

Populists' State Ticket.

The Illinois Populists in state convention at Springfield named this ticket:

Treasurer—John Randolph, of Clinton county.

Supt. of Public Instruction—Miss Lavina Roberts, of Pike county.

Trustees of State University—John C. Pondquerry, of Wabash county; C. G. Rienhart, of Effingham county; H. M. Gilbert, of Knox county.

The platform as adopted reaffirms allegiance to the principles of the People's party as laid down in the Omaha platform, adopts the platform of the federated trades assemblies of Chicago, denounces the license system and recommends the South Carolina system; favors woman's suffrage, favors paying all interest on public moneys into the state treasury, favors taxation of mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness, and declares against boards of trade and union stock yards.

Vandalism.

Up to last night there was a large bed of Sweet Williams in bloom at the H. B. Durfee school, and the principal, teachers and pupils of the school, with the help of the janitor had been cultivating the flowers for use on Memorial Day. There were nearly 200 roses in the bed last night, and the plan was to cut them this morning to be presented to the Grand Army committee which would call. Some vandal last night visited the school yard and destroyed all of the flowers, and carried them off. Such an act of deviltry calls for the severest condemnation and the police should not fail to use every possible effort to arrest the guilty parties. As yet there is no clue whatever.

Vandals have stolen all the flowers in the yard at the residence of J. N. Miller on North Water street.

The New Money Order.

The new money order which will be issued July 1 will be called "postal money order." As the issuing of the postal notes will cease on July 1, the postal money order will take its place, the fee being 3 cents for amounts not exceeding $2.50. The postal order is a neat one and is issued in a manner that will prevent fraud and make it the popular way of sending money, as the government insures the remittee against loss of his money. None of the new orders will be issued before July 1, after which no postal notes or the blue money orders will be issued

The School Election.

Mr. D. S. Shellabarger is formally announced to-day as a candidate for member of the Decatur Board of Education, election to be held on June 5. Mr. Shellabarger has served in the board during the past three years with general acceptability. Being one of the heaviest taxpayers of the city and being personally interested in the proper management of the schools, he is a good man for the place. He has been unselfish in his devotion to the success of the schools, and if re-elected will continue to give our free institutions of learning his best thought and consideration.

Looking for His Wheel.

Harry L. Shutts, of Danville, is in the city looking for his wheel. It was recently stolen from him at Danville. The wheel is a "Niagara," 28 pounds, No. 1210, with G. & J. tires, and was black enameled. The person who swiped the wheel has been traced to this city, and his name is Will Tellacosta, alias Ewing, and is described as wearing a light suit, brown hat and thin sweater, and is a very poor rider.

May Use Oil.

The managers of the City Electric Railway company are seriously considering the scheme of using oil to make steam at the power house. If adopted it will be a permanent arrangement. The plan is to run a pipe from the Tank Line works near the Wabash railway direct to the power house and use the oil under the boilers. Then the company will be independent of coal and wood for fuel.

THE JUNE RECORD.

Fourteen Years' Weather in the Sixth Month.

The following data has been completed from the record of observation for the month of June weather observers in this city for the past fourteen years. This will give an idea of what the weather should be next month. The warmest June was in 1890, average 76 degrees; coldest June, 1889, average 68 degrees; highest temperature, June 25, 1889, 97 degrees; lowest temperature, June 1, 1889, 42 degrees. The average precipitation for the month was 4.72 inches. The greatest monthly precipitation was 12.71 inches in 1892; least, 1.90 inches in 1893. The greatest amount of precipitation recorded in any 24 hours was 3.79 inches, July 2, 1892. The average number of clear days, 7; partly cloudy, 15; cloudy, 8. The prevailing winds have been from the south, and the highest velocity of the wind in any June was on June 21st, 1883, when it reached a velocity of forty miles per hour.

Sunday School Convention.

The Wheatland township Sabbath school convention was held at Bethlehem church, five and one-half miles southwest of Decatur, Sunday, May 27, 1894. Exercises began at 10:30 o'clock a. m. by singing "Coronation," followed by the reading of Exodus iii, 10-20, by the vice president, O. T. Wells, and prayer was offered by Rev. A. B. McDavid. After a song by the congregation the question, "Are the Sabbath schools of Wheatland township as progressive to-day as they were ten years ago? If not, why not, and how can we make them so?" was opened by the superintendent of the U. B. S. S. followed by interesting talks from several, among whom was Mr. Jeffers, of Decatur, who stated that the Sabbath schools of that place had increased in membership 33⅓ per cent in the last year.

It was affirmed that the Sabbath schools could be made more progressive by the personal efforts of the Sabbath school scholars. The discussion was interspersed with music by the congregation. After the singing of the Doxology by the congregation the meeting adjourned to meet at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon session was opened by singing, after which the devotional exercises were led by the vice president. After the song "Marching on to Zion" was sung by the M. E. S. S., Mr. J. R. Gorin, of Decatur, gave an interesting address on "The Better Use of the Bible in the Study of the Lesson." One thought which he gave with special emphasis was: "In the study of the lesson we should use the bible as our first help; we should use the bible as our second help, and we should use the bible as our third help." He also maintained that we should use all the other good helps we could get, but that only the bible should be taken to the Sabbath school room. The anthem, "Father Almighty," was rendered by a quartet consisting of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Stine, Miss May Hopkins and Mr. Martin Connard. The topic, "What Are the Greatest Needs of Our Sabbath Schools?" was opened by the superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school, followed by several short but pointed speeches, after which there was singing by the U. B. Sunday school. Then the topic, "How Can We Best Interest the Young people in the S. S.?" and "What are the duties of the superintendents and teachers?" were opened by the superintendents of Bethlehem and Salem Sunday-Schools, respectively; followed by interesting and beneficial talks by Rev. McDavid and others. A song was then sung by Messrs. Edward Gray, C. B. Smith and Ira Smith. A liberal collection was taken for the benefit of S. S. work.

The officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Vice-President, C. T. Wells; secretary, Miss Anna Foster; treasurer, Miss Mattie Smith. The congregation sang the doxology, after which Rev. McDavid pronounced the benediction. It was a pleasant day and the convention was an enjoyable and interesting one. Unusually good attention was given by the congregation.

MYRTLE FLOYD, Sec'y.

Pleasantly Surprised.

Miss Maud Foster was surprised at her home at 1079 West Macon street by a number of her friends and relatives. Elegant refreshments were served at about 10 o'clock. Cards and dancing were enjoyed by all. Those present were Misses Alice Pentecost, Maggie O'Donnell, Belle McArthur, Mary and Katie O'Donnell, Maud Foster and John Kreher, H. J. Pentecost, E. R. Taylor, Dick Boone, Tad Kreher, Bob Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Did Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster, and Mrs. John Smith, of Bloomington.

Beautiful Decorative Work.

Miss Celia Katz has now on exhibition at Curtis Bros.' jewelry store a superb display of decorated china, consisting of cup and saucers representing music, festoons and Cupid; soup and dessert plates, pin trays, olive dish, green and blue vase, the latter being quite an artistic and difficult piece of work. Miss Katz will be here about June 10th. In the meantime Mrs. J. H. Durfee has kindly consented to furnish any information desired by those wishing to take lessons. The display will remain about one week, when any piece now on exhibition will be sold.

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THEY PROTEST AGAINST IT.

Resolutions as to How Memorial Day Should be Observed.

At a meeting of Dunham Post 141, G. A. R., Dr. T. B. Spalding, Squire A. C. Stephens and Captain R. P. Lytle were appointed a committee to prepare resolutions on the improper observance of Memorial Day. The committee last night reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, Memorial Day has been established for the purpose of giving patriotic expressions of sympathy in memory of the noble dead who so freely gave their lives in the defense of our country that it might live, and should be held in reverence by every patriotic citizen; therefore be it

Resolved, That we do earnestly protest against the prostitution of this national day as a day of recreation and pleasure, and do regret that a member of this post should so far forget his patriotic principle as to engage in and arrange for a bicycle race in which prizes are offered, and at the same hour fixed upon for our memorial services.

Resolved, That this post regards the observance of this day as sacred to the highest and holiest sentiments of the human heart, and that any desecration of this memorial day is degrading to the patriotic sentiment of the young men of the republic and therefore unworthy of any member of the G. A. R.

Good Templars' Memorial.

The Good Templars Memorial service at their hall was of especial interest to the interest to the old timers who were Good Templars before the war. D. L. Bunn spoke feelingly on the death of C. G. Hayman, with whom he became acquainted at the Grand Lodge session in 1861 held in the hall over Fullinwider's meat market. A. F. Smith gave a short sketch of Prof. Daniel Wilkins, who lately died at the Washingtonian Home in Chicago, of which he has had charge since 1874. Prof. Wilkins was first elected Grand Chief Templar at the Grand Lodge in this city, held in the Odd Fellows' hall. In 1870 at Charleston, Ill., he originated the Juvenile Templars, and he was the first Grand Superintendent. In 1871 at the Baltimore session the Juvenile order became general and he was made the R. W. G. S. Theodore Coleman paid a tribute of respect to Mrs. E. A. Mills, one of the Grand Lodge officers. Miss R. Nellie Smith gave a historic sketch of Judge James Black, of Pennsylvania, the first Prohibition candidate for president and a leading Good Templar of the world. Mrs. A. A. Brookbank and Geo. R. Abbs, who have lately passe away here also included in the service.

Lecture on Canning.

About seventy five ladies, among them some of the best known women in Decatur, were at the W. C. T. U rooms yesterday afternoon to hear the lecture on Professor Blits' "hot air" process of canning. The lecture was delivered by Miss Jones, and was extremely interesting to the ladies. The whole process of canning fruits and vegetables in a single syrup was explained, and at the close each one was given a book containing all the instructions necessary for canning by the new process. A large quantity of samples was shown.

Professor Blits, the inventor of the process, has his headquarters in Boston. He has a cannery in California and is now there on business. He gives his time to lecturing to large classes in the larger cities. He has three assistants who give lectures in smaller cities. One of the three is Miss Jones, who was here yesterday.

Notice to the Public.

Tailors' local union, No. 60, hereby informs the public that the following is a correct list of the union merchant tailoring establishments of Decatur: Race Manufacturing company, George W. Jones & Co., Ehrman & Co., E. Denz, C. W. Utley, H. Huesing & Son, Samuel Wood, L. H. Rude. By order of committee. 29 6

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County Clerk,
JAMES M. DODD.
Sheriff,
JERRY P. NICHOLSON.
County Superintendent of Schools,
JOHN G. KELLER.

Salvini's Appearance.

Referring to the play made popular by Salvini's personation, the popularity of "The Three Guardsmen" is perhaps due to the presence of the greater number of characters, each of which has been familiar for many years, to the readers, of historic and romantic literature; Cardinal Richelieu, Anne of Austria, the Duke of Buckingham were all directly connected with the greatest events of the days in which they actually lived, and the three Musketeers, Porthos, Atjos and Aramus, in whom Dumas so ably personified the qualities of courage, loyalty and friendship, have been the library deities of fiction ever since they were first introduced. But of course it is the fortunes of the daring, reckless, joyous D'Artagnan, who is the moving spirit of the whole theme. According to our modern standard, D'Artagnan is an impossible creation. but Salvini has endowed his portrayal with such incomparable naturalism that one unconsciously listens to his taunts, his gallantry and bravado and watches his adventures, his duels and his remarkable escapades, as if he were a natural, living individual. Salvini's methods are as opposite to that of the Anglo-Saxon actor, as his repertoire is to the modern play. At the Grand to-morrow night.

Waiting for Agreement.

It is expected that at to-morrow's state meeting of operators and miners at Springfield an agreement will be reached as to scale of wages which will settle the strike trouble. This is expected; but there are many who believe the strike will never be settled that way.

STAUNTON, Ill., May 29.- The miners here are ready to work any time if they can do so with safety. The mines probably will be opened the last of the week. Between Litchfield and Staunton, a distance of 14 miles, over 1,000 coal cars, with a capacity of 30,000 tons, are sidetracked. Wabash trains are still coaling here. but this supply will be exhausted in a few days unless work is resumed.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 29. The strikers have complete control of the situation here and will not permit a pound of coal to be mined. Mr. Dukes, proprietor of the Hotel Tilton. being nearly out of coal. borrowed half a wagonload from a neighbor. The strikers will not permit him to take it to his hotel. The operators, including Mr. Spellman, who attended the Springfield meeting on Monday, do not expect that the strike will be settled for several weeks.

Notice to the Public.

Tailors' local union, No. 60, hereby informs the public that the following is a correct list of the union merchant tailoring establishments of Decatur: Race Manufacturing company, George W. Jones & Co., Ehrman & Co., E. Denz, C. W. Utley, H. Huesing & Son, Samuel Wood, L. H. Rude. By order of committee. 29-6

Notice to the Public.

Watson & Moll hereby inform the public that they do not employ any of No. 60 tailors. None but No. 1 need apply. Largest stock of fine piece goods to select from. Prompt work, good fits and latest styles at the lowest prices consistent with first-class work. By order of
30d1w COMMITTEE.

Found the Wheel.

Elsewhere in these columns appears an item to the effect that Harry L. Shutts, of Danville, was in the city looking for his bicycle, which was stolen from his home on last Sunday night. With the assistance of the police the wheel was located. The tramps had sold it to C. W. Hastings for $30 and gave to Mr. Hastings a receipt signed Will LaCosta, Burlington, Iowa. Mr. Shutts further discovered that the thief had purchased a Wabash ticket to Kensington, Ill., last Monday night. He has the wheel and now proposes running down the thief and landing him behind the doors of the penitentiary.

MARRIED.

At Maroa, on May 30, by Rev. Mr. Waterbury, John Myers, of Blue Mound, and Miss Luthia Shinn.

WEAVER THE WINNER,

With Guy Righter Finishing a Close Second.

RUBY MAKES BEST TIME.

The Greatest Bicycle Event Ever Held in the City—Hundreds of People Witness the Finish—Over 300 in the Bicycle Parade.

The great road race and parade of the bicyclists came off this afternoon and was a grand success. Every detail was carried out in a most enthusiastic manner.

THE PARADE

was the largest ever given in the city, over 300 wheels being in line. The procession included wheels of every make and style and the riders were of all ages. Many of the younger riders had the wheels decorated artistically with the national colors.

THE LINE OF MARCH

started on North Church street, the long column of wheelmen then moving south on Church to West Wood street, thence east on Wood to Main, thence north around east side of Lincoln square on North Main street to Eldorado street, thence west on West Eldorado to North Edward street, thence south on Edward to Prairie street and then east to North Church street, one block to starting place of road race.

THE ROAD RACE.

At the starting-point large numbers had gathered to witness the great event.

THE RIDERS.

Following is a list of the riders and their handicaps as the race started:

ENTRY NO.	RIDER.	HANDICAP.
10	W. S. Ruby	Scratch
21	Frank Pahmeyer	Scratch
2	Chas. Batchelder	Scratch
22	Frank Faries	4 minutes
12	Bob Vail	5½ "
21	W. A. Hise	5½ "
6	Henry Marcott	6½ "
19	Henry Crowell	6½ "
5	Ralph Curtis	7½ "
1	Ed. Eckels	7½ "
16	Roy Hall	7½ "
20	J. Sanford	8 "
4	S. S. Woods	8 "
17	Earl Walmsley	8½ "
8	Alvia Wilson	8½ "
3	Henry Shuttle	10 "
13	Bryan Vail	12 "
7	Guy Righter	12 "
25	B. L. Weaver	12 "
14	Ira Clokey	12 "
9	P. J. Smith	13 "
18	Will Coonradt	13 "
11	P. J. Wentworth	13 "
15	H. W. Bartholomew	15 "

THE FINISH.

The first lap they finished as follows:
B. L. Weaver—First.
Guy Righter- Second.
W. Coonradt -Third.
Ira Clokey -Fourth.
P. Wentworth Fifth.
H. Shuttle-- Sixth.
J. Sanford --Seventh.
S. S. Woods--Eighth.
Bryan Vail- Ninth.
Roy Hall--Tenth.
Alvie Wilson--eleventh.
Ed. Eckels -twelfth.
P. J. Smith--thirteenth.
Earl Walmsley--fourteenth.
Henry Marcott--fifteenth.
F. Faries--sixteenth.
R. Curtis--seventeenth.
Bob Vail--eighteenth.
H. W. Bartholomew--nineteenth.
H. Crowell--twentieth.
Will Ruby--twenty-first.
F. Pahmeyer--twenty-second.
C. Batchelder--twenty-third.

SECOND LAP.

B. L. Weaver—First.
Guy Righter—Second.
S. S. Woods—Third.
Will Coonradt—Fourth.
J. Sanford—Fifth.
Roy Hall --Sixth.
Alvie Wilson—Seventh.
Henry Shuttle—Eighth.
Henry Marcott—Ninth.
Ira Clokey—Tenth.
Ed Eckels—Eleventh.
Bob Vail—Twelfth.

The remainder finished at their own sweet will. Wentworth dropped out the first round and Bartholomew hasn't showed up yet.

THE TIME.

The time of Weaver, winner of the place prize, was 44 minutes and 22 3-5 seconds.

The time of W. S. Ruby, winner of time prize was 39 minutes 20 and two-fifth seconds, the next best being Pahmeyer 39 minutes 20 and three-fifth seconds.

OFFICERS OF THE COURSE.

The officers of the course were:
Referee—Judge Vail.
Judges—C. M. Hurst, A. S. Robinson. Paul Hickisch.
Timekeepers—Geo. Post, Frank Dodd and Frank Curtis.
Scorer—Huston Singleton.
Starter—F. B. Mueller.
Clerks of Course— A. F. Wilson, Geo. F. Bell and Harry E. Hamsher.
Umpires—Gordon Damrow, Linn Radcliff, Ed Simpson, Murray Millikin and Ray Boyer.

THE PRIZES.

The prizes which will be awarded to-morrow are as follows:

BEST TIME.

First prize—One pair $12 pants, offered by C. W. Utley, the Opera House tailor.

Second prize—Dent's silk umbrella, by Linn & Scruggs.

PRIZES FOR FINISH.

Rider finishing first--Fine bloomer bicycle suit, by Decatur Cycling club.

Rider finishing second—1,000 mile Spaulding's cyclometer, by H. Mueller Gun Co.

Rider finishing third—One sweater, best quality, by Morehouse, Wells & Co.

Rider finishing fourth—Parabolic nickel plated lamp, by Paul Hickisch.

Rider finishing fifth—Seventeen ounce racing saddle, by Lytle & Eckels.

Rider finishing sixth Pair kangaroo hand-sewed bicycle shoes, by J. P. Philpott.

Rider finishing seventh—1 Heath ball valve pump, by Dodd, Sanner Co.

Rider finishing eighth—1 new departure double electric bell, by Dodd, Sanner Co.

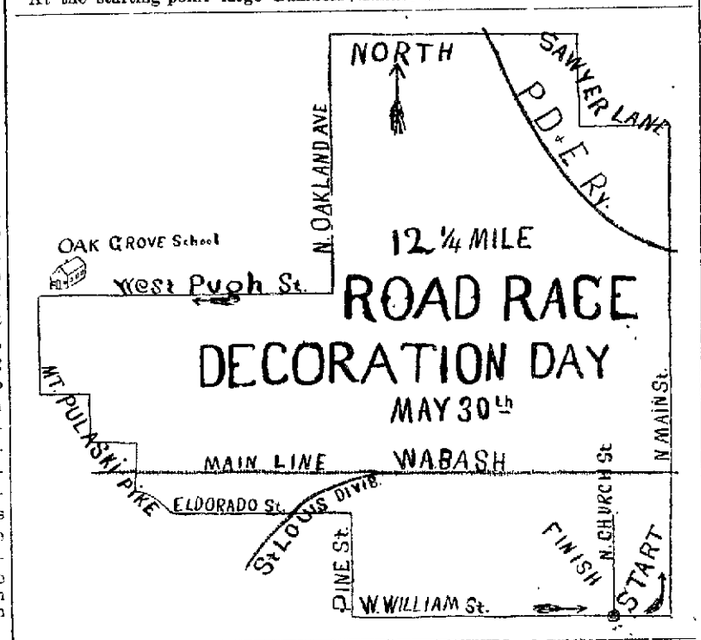
Rider finishing ninth—1 pair gent's bicycle hose, by Bradley Bros.

Rider finishing tenth 1 pair Ostergrens blued trouser guards, by H. Mueller Gun Co.

FOR HEAVY WEIGHTS.

To the first rider crossing the finish weighing over 158 pounds--A solid silver match box with head of Mary Anderson, offered by Otto E. Curtis & Bro.

To the last rider crossing the finish weighing over 158 pounds -100 pounds of ice--The Decatur Ice & Cold Storage company.



Warm Weather Coming.

In a few days warm weather will be here and the members of the family who have to be in the house nearly all day will feel it the most To make their burdens lighter get a "Jewel" gas or gasoline stove of
LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE CO.

Bachman's Baby

Buggies are here; 50 different styles; the most beautiful line ever shown in the city, and at prices to suit the times. Don't fail to see them. We will sell you a buggy on payments.
BACHMAN BROS. & MARTIN CO.
mar20-dtf

DIED.

At Georgetown, Ky., May 27, Wright Allen, aged 65 years.

The deceased was a brother of Mrs. W. J. Quinlan, of this city. He leaves a widow and four children.

BUSINESS generally was suspended this afternoon.

Wood's Ice Cream is pure—others may be. Don't let your stomachs take chances—Eat Wood's.

"VICTORS"

LEAD
In Durability, Style and Finish
SEE 'EM.
LYTLE & ECKELS
HARDWARE CO.

Linn & Scruggs
DRY GOODS & CARPET Co
Importers & Retailers. Decatur, Ill.

BARGAINS EVERY DAY.

Largest and best assortment of goods ever shown in Central Illinois.

PRICES NEVER SO LOW.

5,000	yards Butter Color Lace	5c a yard
10,000	" Embroidery	1c, 2c and 3c a yard
500	" China Silk	19c a yard
1,300	" Figured Sateens	10c a yard
1,500	" White India Linen	10c a yard
700	" Dotted Swiss	25c a yard
1,000	" Figured Dimity	12½c a yard
2,000	" Figured Shantong Pongee	15c a yard
800	" Figured Dress Duck	10c a yard
1,000	" Wool Challies	10c a yard
300	Paris Dress Patterns	$5.00, 7.50 and 10.00
250	Satin Coaching Parasols	$1.25
50	dozen Ladies' Fancy Trimmed Vests	12½c
100	dozen Ladies' Silk Mitts	25c
Ladies' Ready Made Dresses		$2.50 and 5.00
Misses' School Dresses		$2.00 and 2.50
Children's Dresses		$1.00 and 1.75
Misses' Sailor Hats, Trimmed		39c
Children's Fancy Lawn Hats		25c to $2.00
500 pieces 30-inch Figured Shantong and Songora Pongee		10c a yard

50 dozen Straw Sailor Hats, black, brown, cardinal and blue, best and cheapest hat ever offered for young ladies, value 75c, At 39c.

25 dozen Bicycle Caps for boys and girls, At 25c.

35 dozen Children's Lawn Hats, in pink, blue and white, At 25c.

22 dozen Chemisettes, At 25c.

100 dozen Ladies' Muslin Home Made Gowns, one of the best values we have ever offered. Among this lot of gowns there are some worth as high as $3.00. We have decided to make a special sale of the above lot and have marked them At 98c.

50 dozen Ladies' Muslin Skirts, full size and length, worth $1.50, At 98c.

1,000 PARASOLS,

98c, $1.25, 1.50, 2.00 and 2.50.

75 dozen boys' fast black Bicycle Hose, double knee, sizes 6 to 8½, 19c pair.

200 dozen Ladies' fast black Seamless Hose, 2 pair 25c.

25 dozen Children's Russet Shades, two thread, sizes 6 to 8½, 15 to 25c pair.

150 Ladies' Vests, 5c each.

200 Ladies' Vests, tape arm and neck, 12½c each.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Dry Goods & Carpet Co.

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WANTED—The man who so far forgot his ... to the country as to neglect to return ... hammer, should return same at ... W. J. Logan. 23d6

WANTED—My friends and the public to ... that I have moved my blacksmith ... repair shop to 241 East William ... and see me. Wm. Carlick. 23d6

WANTED—A position as stenographer and ... by a competent young lady who ... several years practical experience; satisfactory work guaranteed. Address N. C. S., ... Morgan street, city. 23d6*

WANTED—Salesman; salary from start, permanent place. Brown Bros. Co., nursery... may19-d1w

WANTED—Everybody to know that Dick Carl... the rubber boot and shoe maker, at 151 ... street, makes neat repairing a specialty and cuts your bootmage may15-d1mo

WANTED—If you need a pump don't fail to ... Kelly, 304 308 North Franklin. ... pump in the city for the least ... handles the Walter A. Wood and ... binders, and repairs, call and see. 16d-tf

WANTED—You to know that the Decatur Hardware Co. are selling the Wabash ... the best in the market, cheaper ... 725 North Water. may15-dtf

WANTED—You to know that we have opened a new hardware store at 1119 North Water ... We carry a complete line of goods at lowest prices. Sheet iron and tin shop in connection with the store. Strader & Co may13dtf

WANTED—Everyone to know that A. R. Nichols has reliable men in charge of his ... gallery, the Columbia Studio, Chamberlin's place, 129 East Main street. Cabinets ... may17-dtf

WANTED—To call my friends and the public's attention that I am selling strictly pure oil by the dish, gallon or any quantity and am prepared to fill all orders for parties, societies, picnics etc., on short notice. Goods delivered to any part of the city. Give me a call. ... J. CUSSINS, 1123 N. Main St.

WANTED—Every man, woman and child in Decatur to win wealth, happiness, long life and contentment by occasionally dropping an ad. in this department.

WANTED—Laundry work by experienced woman at prices to suit the times. Express ... will call and get your work in any part of city and return the same to you. ... postal card or otherwise, and we will ... Robert H. Oliphant, No 1220 North ... Decatur, Ill. may20d1

WANTED—The people of Decatur to know that I HAVE the old reliable boot and shoe ... can be found at 223 North Main street.

WANTED—Everybody to call at the Woman's ... 243 East William street, for delicious home made pies, cakes, &c. A fine ... served at all hours. Call and be convinced.

WANTED—You to go to Wm Grabill for rubber stamps, enamled house numbers, ... key checks, badges, letter plates, ... pieces, etc. also all kinds of repair work ... 130 N. Park St., Decatur, Ill. apr28-dtf

WANTED—The ladies to call at Garrett's, 448 North Water street and examine the patent bolt scissors. Inspect their work and you will be convinced that their equal has never been ... this market apr28-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that I am selling goods lower than ever. New goods coming that will be sold lower than can be bought ... Call and you will be convinced. F. M. WILLIAMS, 243 North Main St. apr17-dtf

WANTED—You to know that we are prepared to renovate your feathers without ... any loss whatever. Satisfaction ... reasonable charges reasonable. W. D. Chamberlin & Co., Library block. apr16-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know and be convinced that the REPUBLICAN want columns is the proper means through which to have their want satisfied. apr16-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that P. M. KELLNAN has located at 114 East William street, where he has a line of high grade pianos ... Dockel, Bros, Esky and Camp & ... pianos. Finest line ever shown in Decatur. apr15-dtf

WANTED—James Hollinger wants his old friends and customers to know that he has ... the barber shop at 742 East Eldorado ... He has four good barber chairs, has ... work men and can assure all of a good ... when they visit him, artistic hair-cutting a specialty. Also furnishes Turkish or ... baths. Parties who wish to have Turkish ... baths should send in their names ... appointments ahead in order that they ... be disappointed when they come for ... It takes time to give a Turkish bath ... Apparatus is complete and ser... apr28-dtf

WANTED—The people to know that they can ... first class second hand furniture and stoves at half-price. We have a splendid line of second hand lounges and parlor suits ... upholstered and refinished, just as good as new. Bedroom suits, chairs, etc., at very low prices. Chicago Second Hand Store, ... next door west of Grindol's ... Ad kinds of furniture repairing ... apr13-dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—All the furniture at the Globe Hotel. Will be sold Saturday, June 20, at ... sale to begin at 10 o'clock sharp. 150 East West Main street. 30d6

FOR SALE—Oil's, 230 North Water ... Also all kinds of work in ... Mr Odell is known as the ... and his work in hundreds ... attest his skill 24d6w*

FOR SALE—A fine line of pants from $3.00 ... young goods at surprising low prices. ... line of dress and fancy patterns, ... and repairing promptly done. ... dyeing Lastery & Co., 205 North Main. 24d

FOR SALE—A bay horse 5 years old, weighs ... good, gentle driver and No 1 road ... with harness and light road wagon. ... D. Annis, with C. H. & Q. Co. 23d6*

FOR SALE—A good two-year-old mule, one ... horse 2-horse wagon and set of double ... Apply to H. Bauer, 323 East Main St.

FOR SALE—Twenty cords of wood at $2 per ... Call on Constable W. W. Connard. 22d6*

FOR SALE—Cabbage and tomato plants, all kinds of greenhouse plants; well grown and ... Cut flowers, designs and everything in ... line. ADAM BALMER, North Union ... Greenhouse, Decatur, Ill. apr25-d6w

FOR SALE—The original Budweiser beer ... in the world, bottled for family use by ... & Grass, call telephone 516. 18dtf

FOR SALE OR RENT—Space in our want columns for you to advertise for your wants, to sell or rent your belongings, at the low rate of ... per week for notices not to exceed forty words. apr16-dtf

FOR SALE—A commission agency doing a business of $1,000 per year; good profit; will sell for right party cheap for cash; can conduct the agency without much capital. Call or address 136 N. Michigan street, second floor, room 15, Decatur, Ill. 23dtf

FOR SALE—The effects of the man who refused to advertise in the "For Sale" column of this paper. He lacked good business sense and now he's busted.

FOR SALE—Two-story house of eight rooms and cellar, 40 feet front. Good barn with driveway to street. Paved street. Sewer in alley. City water. Owner wishes to leave the city. 734 West Decatur street.

REAL ESTATE CHANCES.

BUSINESS CHANCES.—For sale or trade, stock and fixtures of a grocery doing good business.

Small stock of new furniture.

Fruit and candy stock. Owner is away and can't look after the business.

Meat market. Saloon.

Drug store. Stock of hardware.

Three unincumbered lots to trade for small property.

A good mill in a thriving town in Shelby Co. Will take a good driving horse as part pay on a choice lot.

142 East Prairie street. KUNY & JOHNS. may9-d1f

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Some desirable Nebraska land to exchange for stock of goods or other property.

Several desirable pieces of city property to exchange for farm lands.

Four vacant lots in Wisconsin town of 30,000 to exchange for horses.

Vacant lot in Riverside to exchange for new upright piano, must be good.

I have a customer who will pay cash for vacant lot in desirable part of the city, must be cheap for cash; will take incumbered property and pay off incumbrance.

Equity in elegant residence within one block of business portion of city; this property has all modern conveniences, this is a snap for someone, numerous other bargains

C. M. ATTERBURY,
may21-tf Over Irwin's drug store.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—By A. O. Bolen—40 acres of land in Iroquois county, Ill. well improved; price, $4,600, incumbered for $1,000, or will trade equity for Decatur property.

80 Acres of improved land in Macon county, price, $5,400, incumbered for $2,300, for sale, or will trade for Decatur property.

A good two-room house in northwest part of city for $450, $300 in loan, will sell or trade equity.

A good four-room cottage for $1,200; a bargain

$5,000 to $10,000 worth of stock in a good established business to trade for a modern residence in Decatur, a good chance for the right party to engage in business.

I write insurance and make loans. If you want to buy anything call and see me. If you want to sell call and leave your property with me. If you want to exchange call and see me.

A. O. BOLEN,
23d6 Over Millikin's bank, Decatur, Ill.

HERE'S SOME MORE NEST EGGS—Look them over, then come and see. You will never will have a better opportunity to own a small farm or suburban home than right now:

2 pieces, 5 acres each;	1 piece, 85 acres;
1 piece, 12½ acres,	1 piece, 87 acres,
1 piece, 14 acres;	1 piece, 128 acres;
1 piece, 60 acres,	2 pieces, 80 acres, prairie
1 piece, 67½ acres;	1 piece, 75 acres, prairie
1 piece, 77½ acres,	1 piece, 140 acres, prairie
1 piece, 2 acres,	1 piece, 8 acres,

8-room house, edge of city, $4,000. 2 houses, etc., edge of city, $7,000. Most of these pieces lie near street cars. They are suitable for suburban homes, chicken ranches, gardening or dairy. If you have any property for sale or exchange, it will pay you to list it with me. Have gentle horse and buggy at the office all the time to show the properties. For further information, call or write.

P. H. BRUECK,
may17-dtf 239 N. Main St.

FOR SALE—At a bargain—three nice lots in Riverside, Mills & Starr's First addition to the city of Decatur. Terms easy, $100 cash, balance $100 per month, with six per cent interest. Interest payable annually. W. Z. Walmsley, 128 East Main street may13-d3m

FOR SALE—Three room house on North College street, lot 50x177 feet, house well built, nicely painted, desirable home. No traders wanted. Apply to W. F. Deams, Sr., at 611 North Water street 17d...

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A number of good houses at prices to suit the long, cheap and honest purse. For particulars call on Geo. Hunter, 122 Merchant street. 29d6

FOR RENT—Nice 6-room house on East Eldorado street, with well, cistern and outbuildings. W. Z. WALMSLEY. Tele. 552 may9-dtf

FOR RENT—Good house on East Bradford street. Inquire of W. Z. Walmsley. Telephone 552. may9-dtf

FOR RENT—May Bros' & Truax's addition. House of 6 rooms. W. Z. Walmsley. Telephone 552 may9-dtf

FOR RENT—Suites of rooms on second and third floors in the new Wingate block, with all modern conveniences, rent reasonable. Apply at 328 North Water street. 16d1m

FOR RENT—Space in this column, which all good people are invited to inspect. The small investment is better than preferred stock in a gold mine. Ladies and gentlemen who patronize this column may in time wear diamonds. tf

FOR RENT—Corner of West Cerro Gordo and North College. W. Z. Walmsley. Tel. 552. tf

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. I. SUMMERS, No. 135 North Water street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur, Ill. july16-d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN—On real estate, farm machinery, live stock, household goods or good personal security. Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman & Co., over Millikin's bank. 13 dtf

MONEY TO LOAN in any amount on real estate, chattels or good personal security. C. T. HAIGH, over Busher's shoe store, 152 E. Main street. may8-dtf.

MONEY TO LOAN—Real estate conveyancing. Apply to WALTER & WALTER, room 2, Ulrich block, over the National Bank of Decatur. nov1-dtf

MISCELLANEOUS.

SAY, JOHN DEAR—We'll have company for dinner to-morrow and I want you to stop at JOHN FINN'S and send up some fine steaks, vegetables, fruits, fresh peas and new vegetables. Sister Mary says he has the best in town. may26-dtf

NEW STORE—W. D. Wheeler informs his friends that he has bought J. H. Ray's stand, 620 East Eldorado street. A complete line of groceries, feed, poultry and fish always on hand. Prices made to suit the times may25-dtf

RUBBER STAMPS are wealth some times. W. Lewis Hope makes superior rubber stamps, hand printing and self inking stamps in all kinds, also rubber type, stencils, key checks and other novelties. 151 East Prairie street. 29d6

MAMMOTH concerns do not always offer the best goods for the least money; if you want the best fly nets for the least money go to 227 East Main street next to Bauer's grocery. 24d6*

AH! UM!—The memory of that lunch which I enjoyed at the Woman's Exchange, East William street, remains with me yet. I will go again and take my friends. 29d6

DRESSMAKING.—Mrs. Newman will teach the latest style of cutting and fitting according to the tailor system. Cutting and fitting warranted to please. 29d6

COME A RUNNIN'—To Chas. E. Morgan's, the clothier, 114 Merchant street, the fiftieth customer who buys $1 worth or over will get the fine silver set in his show window. 28dtf

AH, THERE, MY SIZE!—All good boys and girls buy their magazines, papers and reading matter generally from H. G. Hughes, the news dealer, 325 North Water street. 26d6

DON'T READ THIS—The young man who took his best girl to Hoover's postoffice confectionery for ice cream was so pleased that he proposed, was accepted, and orange blossoms will bloom in the near future. 25d1m

V-CRIMPED SEMIE STEEL ROOFING—painted with Graphite, anti-rust roof paint, will last an ordinary lifetime and cost no more than less cost than shingles. For particulars, prices, etc., address Decatur Steel Roofing Co. may24-dtf

HAVE you ever stopped to investigate the true merits of Steel Roofing? If not, and you are in need of roofing for a building of any kind, call on the Decatur Steel Roofing Co. for information. You can see on file hundreds of letters from responsible parties who have used this roofing for 20 or 25 years and highly recommend it. may24-dtf

NEW MEAT MARKET.—Adam Kreher & Son have opened a new meat market at the corner of West King and Monroe streets. The best stock to be had always on hand. Call and see us. may30-dtf

STARTLING YET TRUE—and thoroughly demonstrated that steel painted with graphite resists the action of the elements, is impervious to rust and can be bought from the Decatur Steel Roofing Co. at less cost than shingles. may24-dtf

R. L. FULLINWIDER & CO., manufacturer foundry patterns, models, furniture, keys, house numbers, plasterers' tools, quilting frames, door and window screens. Repair bicycles, sewing machines, electric bells, electrical supplies, gasoline stoves, stove repairs, setting window glass, locks, lawn mowers, baby buggies, and musical instruments. Grinding and polishing barber supplies, scissors, saws, surgical instruments and all kinds of tools sharpened. Drop us a card and we will call at residence. Shop 249 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. apr21-dtf

W. H. GRINDOL & SON, at their old stand on East Main street, have a fine stock of granite and marble monuments and head stones. Iron reservoir flower vases on hand for sale. Call and see them. apr30-d1m

FULL line of cut flowers, roses, etc. A fine line of bedding plants, Geraniums, Verbena, Pansies, etc., delivered to any part of the city. Call on or telephone 200. N. Bommersbach.

NOTICE.—The best place to buy second-hand furniture is at 640 E. Eldorado. Call and be convinced. We also upholster furniture; umbrella repairing and rope splicing. See us when you need a good cook or gasoline stove. THOS. REARDON & CO. apr19-dtf

THE great divorce suit and scandal which tore asunder a happy family in this section and severed life-time friendships, has been settled and all are happy again. The husband confessed his wrong-doing and promised to buy a carriage, harness and complete outfit from J. G. Starr & Son, the leading dealers of Central Illinois. 21dot

STORAGE—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warerooms 620 East Mason street. Telephone 292. C. C. HARPSTRITE. jan-dtf

REMOVED.—I have removed my dress-making parlors to Room 7, Syndicate block, second floor. Custom made dresses always on hand. Tailor-made suits to order a specialty. Mrs. August Rohner. 8dtf

MADAME SKINNER has again embarked in the dressmaking business and would be pleased to have her old customers and as many new ones as may need her services to call and leave their orders. Prices to suit the times to those who as not in a hurry. Madame Skinner, Syndicate Block, suite 28, Decatur, Ill. may1-dtf

KEEP COOL—And buy a White Mountain Ice Cream Freezer of the Decatur Hardware Co. You could not make a better investment. Call and see our goods and get prices. 725 North Water street. may15-dtf

HOME MADE HAPPY—By buying screen doors or window screens, at 725 North Water street. We have too many and will sell them cheaper than anybody else. DECATUR HARDWARE CO. 7dtf

THE Mutual Telephone company is now ready to make contracts for services. For particulars, call on Dr. J. G. HARVEY, Opera House Block apr23-dtf

TIN SHOPS—Call at Anchor Tin Shops for estimates, roofing, guttering, spouting, &c., roof painting, repairing, &c. Look for the big anchor. Don't forget the place—601 East Cerro Gordo street. may9-dtf

MRS. ANNA WARD, Fashionable Ladies' Hair worker, in all the styles that are worn. Ladies' Hair Dressing in all styles. Switchmaking and cleaning ladies' hair a specialty. 113 N. Main street, Decatur, Ill. dec3dtf

WELLS driven or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with tile, brick or tile. For terms or prices, call at C. E. HOSTLER'S grocery store, 1075 North Water street 151dtf

PIANOS Organs, musical instruments, jewelry, silverware, watches, clocks, lamps, lace curtains, window shades, chenille goods, carpet sweepers, etc., on easy payments, if desired. A practical jeweler in the store. Also successful piano tuner and organ repairer. Satisfaction guaranteed. S. GARRETT, 443 North Water St. apr13-d6t

HEAL'S HOLINESS—You want muscle, you wish to enjoy life, you wish to see your children happy, you wish the roses to bloom on the cheeks of your wives as they did in the happy days of courtship. Good health waits on digestion and this on good food. Frank Zurbeller & Son, 139 North Franklin has good new and old potatoes. 24d6*

GO to W. D. Chamberlain & Co. in the Library Block for your furniture and upholstering and repairing. apr18-d8t

LOST, FOUND, ETC.

LOST—By those persons, who do not use the REPUBLICAN want columns, the splendid opportunities and business advantages offered here every day. apr16-dtf.

FOUND—The best place in the city for high grade pictures is at ABRAMS' gallery, over Peddicord, Burrows & Co's store. For the best ambrotype and crayon pictures you should not fail to call. 7dtf

FOUND AT LAST—The place to have your watch repaired so that it will keep correct time. Take it to JENNINGS'S fine watch repairing shop, No. 311 North Main St. apr17-dtf

R. O. ROSEN, Architect and Builder. Office in rooms 18 and 19, in Fenton block, third floor, over Bradley Bros

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. J. M. BLATHE, dentist, office 157 East Main street, offers his professional services to the people of Decatur and surrounding counties on his years experience. may28d1t

THE DRS. BRANDOM, 501 North Water St., treat all cases of cancer or of cancerous origin, diseases of the ear and eye. Their records show hundreds of cases restored to health. Cancers removed without the use of the knife. 29d6

Dr. James L. Bevans,

Physician and Surgeon,

who formerly practiced at Moody and later at Quincy, Ill., has returned and permanently located at Decatur. Down town office, Rooms 15 and 16, Second Floor, Colmbia Block, Postoffice building. Office hours 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., and 6 30 to 8 p. m. At all other hours he will be at his Residence-office, 801 North Monroe street. Calls in town or country promptly attended to day or night. Telephone 308

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of John A. Henry, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executors of the estate of John A. Henry, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that they will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the July 1894 term, on the first Monday in July next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of May, 1894.

JOHN B. HENRY,
MARTIN L. HENRY
may21-d3w Executors.

Administratrix Notice.

Estate of William J. Condell, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administratrix of the estate of William J. Condell, deceased, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at a term thereof for probate business, on the first Monday in June, 1894, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 11th day of May, 1894.

ELIZABETH O. CONDELL,
may12-d3 Administratrix.

ILLS. CENT. EXCURSIONS.

Highland, Ill., German Singing Societies, May 17th to 22d—$1 for round-trip tickets, limited to May 23d for return passage.

Harvest Excursions May 29th to all points in Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, North and South Dakotas and southwest Missouri; to principal points in Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Manitoba and New Mexico. If you are going to the West or northwest, now is your chance. Rates very cheap. Tickets good 30 days for return passage. For full particulars call on T. Peniwell, 110 Library block, or at ticket office in Union depot. W. L. Smith, ticket agent.

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the various counties composing the Seventeenth congressional district of Illinois are hereby invited to send delegates to a convention to be held at the county court house in the city of Springfield, at 2 o'clock p. m., on Thursday, June 14, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress and of transacting such other business as may legitimately come before said convention. The basis of representation and the number of delegates to which each county in the district is entitled will be the same as that fixed for the state convention to be held at Springfield July 25 next, as follows: Christian county, 10 delegates; Logan county, 9 delegates; Macon county, 15 delegates; Menard county, 4 delegates; Sangamon county, 20 delegates.

S. H. BLANE,
Chairman Congressional Committee.
STEPHEN T. LITTLER, Secretary.

Meeting of Tuttle Brick Co.

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the directors of said corporation will be held on the 11th day of June, 1894, at the hour of 4 p. m., at Johnson & Dimock's office, Decatur, Illinois, for the purpose of considering the question of increasing the capital stock of said corporation.

B. B. TUTTLE,
S. A. TUTTLE,
HIRAM JOHNSON,
may13-d3w Directors.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Office of the Decatur Leader M'f'g Co.,
Decatur, Ill., May 23d, 1894.

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the directors of said corporation will be held on the 28th day of June, 1894, at the hour of 3 p. m. for the purpose of considering the question of increasing the capital stock.

DAVIS BROWN, President.
SAMUEL DILLER,
JOHN G. SHEA,
L. B. CASNER,
may24d3w HIRAM JOHNSON.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,
DECATUR, ILL., May 24, 1894.

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at the office of the Decatur Baggage and Transfer Co., on Tuesday, June 5, 1894, for the purpose of electing one member of the Board of Education to serve for the term of three years. Said election will be opened at 9 o'clock a. m. and close at 7 o'clock p. m. of said day.

D. S. SHELLABARGER, President.
E. A. GASTMAN, Clerk. [may24-dtd

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the County Court to the May term, A. D. 1894.

In the matter of the petition of Thomas Quinn, guardian of Flora Quinn and Thomas Quinn. Petition for the sale of real estate.

To all whom it may concern: Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, as guardian of Flora Quinn and Thomas Quinn, by virtue of a decree and order of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, will, upon the 9th day of June, A. D. 1894, at the north door of the courthouse in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit, commencing 557½ feet south and 50 feet west of the northeast corner of lot number seven (7) of the assessor's plat and subdivision of outlots numbers two (2), three (3), and four (4) of Adamson & Prather's addition to the town, now city, of Decatur, as shown by a plat recorded in the recorder's office of Macon county, Illinois, in book 22 at page 258, running thence south 154 and 80-100 feet, thence west 50 feet, thence north 154 and 22-100 feet, thence east 50 feet to the place of beginning, that said sale will be without reserve, for the full and complete title to said premises, including the interest of said minors and all dower and homestead interests, that the terms of said sale will be: Two hundred dollars ($200) in cash the purchaser to give his note for the balance of the purchase money, payable in two years at interest, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum, payable annually, and secured by a mortgage upon said premises, and that no bid for said property less than eighteen hundred dollars ($1800), will be received.

Dated May 17th, A. D. 1894.

THOMAS QUINN,
Guardian of Flora Quinn and Thomas Quinn.
may17d6w

NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

In the County Court to the July term, A. D. 1894.

In the matter of the application of the city of Decatur to condemn property to extend East Decatur street.

To Mary Bowles: You are hereby notified that the above entitled proceedings are now pending in said court, in said county and state, and that such proceedings are pending to the next term of said court, and that in and by said proceedings land owned by you is sought to be taken and damaged, for the purpose of extending East Decatur street.

Now, unless you shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of said term to be held in said city, county and state, on the second day of July, A. D. 1894, to which time and place the summons is returnable, and object, plead, answer and demur to the said petition, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed and an order of judgment and decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said petition.

GEO. P. HARRY, Clerk.
may22-d4w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of A. G. Benton, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of A. G. Benton, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 29th day of May, 1894.

A. W. BENTON,
may30-d4w Administrator.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect May 20, 1894.

Wabash.

FROM ST. LOUIS.		TO ST. LOUIS.	
No. 10 Pass	8 45 p m	No. 9 Pass	6 30 a m
" 4 Pass	11 57 a m	" 3 Pass	3 45 a m
" 44 Pass	11 25 a m	" 43 Pass	4 05 a m
" 32 Pass	10 10 p m	" 45 Pass	4 15 p m
" 2 Pass	12 40 a m	" 5 Pass	4 10 p m
FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.		**TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.**	
No. 42 Pass	10 05 p m	No. 43 Pass	4 30 a m
" 44 Pass	11 05 a m	" 45 Pass	4 10 p m
" 6 Pass	6 05 a m	" 1 Pass	9 07 p m
" 46 Acc	7 05 p m	" 47 Acc	6 45 a m
" 70 Freight	11 05 a m	" 71 Freight	11 55 a m
FROM TOLEDO AND DETROIT.		**TO TOLEDO AND DETROIT.**	
No. 43 Pass	3 50 a m	No. 16 Pass	6 15 a m
" 45 Pass	3 35 p m	" 44 Pass	11 35 a m
" 41 Pass	9 00 p m	" 42 Pass	10 15 p m
" 47 Pass		" 48 Pass	
from Bement	10 30 a m	to Bement	2 30 p m
FROM CHICAGO.		**TO CHICAGO.**	
No. 3 Pass	3 30 a m	No. 2 Pass	12.55 a m
" 5 Pass	4 05 p m	" 4 Pass	12.02 p m
" 1 Pass, except Sunday	8 50 p m	" 6 Pass, except Sunday	6 25 p m

Illinois Central.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
Diamond Special, daily ... 1 58 a m	Diamond Special, daily ... 2.42 a m
No. 122 pass. ex. Sunday ... 9 40 a m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday ... 10.25 a m
No. 104 freight ex. Sunday ... 2 00 p m	No. 103 freight ex. Sunday ... 10.30 a m
No. 102 pass. ex. Sunday ... 9:00 p m	No. 101 pass. ex. Sunday ... 5.25 p m
No. 702 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex. Sunday ... 3:15 p m	No. 701 (Champ'n line) arrives ex. Sunday ... 10:15 a m

Indianapolis, Decatur & Western.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass ... 2:50 p m	No. 2 Pass ... 11:35 a m
" 3 Pass. ... 8:55 a m	" 4 Pass. ... 10:20 a m
" 7 Freight ... 9:00 a m	" 8 Freight. ... 2:00 a m
" 9 Freight ... 8:00 p m	" 10 Freight ... 4:00 p m

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 2:55 p m	No. 1 Pass.... 11:05 a m
" 4 Pass.... 6:55 a m	" 3 Pass.... 10:15 p m
" 30 Pass., Sunday only.. 7:50 a m	" 31 Pass, Sunday only.. 9:00 p m
" 14 Freight 10:45 a m	" 11 Freight 2:00 p m

Vandalia Line.

ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute	11:05 a m—7:30 a m
From Peoria	2:40 p m—7:15 p m
LEAVE.	
For Peoria	11:30 a m—7:15 a m
For Terre Haute	7:00 a m—3:00 p m

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Irritation of Bladder and Kidneys, one treatment; also Female Diseases, such as falling of the womb, displacements (forward or backward) replaced, permanently cured.

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Ladies having superfluous hair on their faces, we remove them permanently by one treatment. Blotches, moles, etc., likewise; cancers, tumors, warts, cured by from two to five treatments. Varicocele, hydrocele cured. Rupture cured.

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Lung Trouble. Many cases are curable that have not gone too far. Will say to physicians of your city and county: If you have a patient or relative you wish examined, bring them, as he has no secret in his practice, and will be a pleasure in explaining every mode of treatment necessary.

Young and Middle-Aged Men, suffering from spermatorrhea, and impotency as the result of self abuse in youth or excess in mature age and other cases, producing some of the following effects, as emissions, blotches, debility, nervousness, dizziness, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, defective memory and sexual exhaustion are permanently cured by remedies not injurious. He undertakes no incurable cases, but cures thousands given up to die. Remember the date and come early, as his rooms are always crowded wherever he stops.

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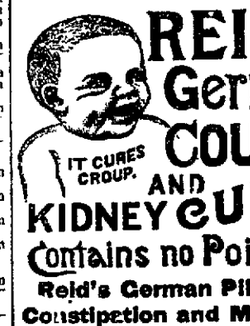
170 Oakwood Boulevard, CHICAGO.



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And a company of players under the direction of MR. W. M. WILKINSON in Dumas masterpiece.

THE THREE GUARDSMEN.

NOTE—The performance will be given entirely in English.

The sale of Seats will be at Linn's May 28.

PRICES	
Per seat in first 3 rows of Dre. Circle	$1 50
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Admission to Balcony	50
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THE LABOR TROUBLE.

The Pittsburgh District Coal Operators Will Resume.

A PEACEFUL VICTORY FOR THE MINERS.

Assuming a Serious Phase—Striking Rioters Fined—Moved Without Resistance—Starved Into Submission—Declined to be an Arbitrator.

The Pittsburgh District Coal Operators Anxious to Resume.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 30.—The coal operators of the Pittsburgh district will not wait longer than the end of this week for a settlement of some kind with the miners. If there is no agreement by that time a start to work will be made at some of the mines, probably in the Panhandle district.

The first decisive action was taken yesterday at a general meeting of the operators. The action of the meeting on May 21 was rescinded, and a committee of ten was appointed to act for the entire district. There was a withdrawal of the agreement to pay not more than sixty-five cents per ton in order to allow the new committee the fullest liberty. The committee organized by electing M. H. Taylor chairman and R. H. Boyle, secretary.

Majority and minority reports of the meeting of the ways and means committee of fifteen were presented and the committee was discharged.

The operators are anxious to resume work at an early day. The authority of the old committee was limited to suggesting some plan of operation.

In giving every power to the new committee there goes the suggestion that it begin active work at once. There will be no meeting until the result of the conference in Illinois is known. If that is satisfactory to the miners' officials the settlement will be simply a matter of form.

If there is no settlement in Illinois the local committee will attempt terms with the miners of this district. If no agreement is reached, the committee will begin the operation of the mines with new men.

The Miners Achieve a Peaceful Victory.

POMEROY, O., May 30.—The miners achieved a peaceful victory at Spillman yesterday and there was no need of the services of the West Virginia militia. At about 9 o'clock the steamer C. A. Hill, with two barges containing about 500 strikers from Syracuse, Minersville, Hartford City, Pomery, Mason City, Middleport and Clifton landed at West Columbia, W. Va., for the purpose of persuading the miners working at Spillman to join them.

After landing they sent a committee, which was accompanied by Sheriff Gardner, to interview Mr. Spillman, the manager of the mine, and ask permission to see his men. He treated them courteously, but declined to allow his men to be sent for. The strikers then decided to wait quietly until the men came out, which they did shortly after 2 o'clock. A conference was then held, which resulted in the Spillman men, fifty-three in number, deciding unanimously to quit work.

Thirty men employed at the Cedar Hill mine at West Columbia also joined them.

The strikers then adopted resolutions of thanks to Mr. Spillman, the sheriff, and the people of West Columbia for courteous treatment, and returned to their homes. They were organized, perfectly orderly, and only those selected to do so were permitted to do any talking. Every mine in Pomeroy Bend is now closed. The operators are all willing to pay the price demanded, and the miners are only waiting for the general settlement in order to go to work.

The Strike Assuming a Serious Phase.

BRAZIL, Ind., May 30.—The strike is becoming very serious here, and much trouble is expected at any time. The miners stopped two freight trains on the Vandalia Monday night and searched every car for coal. One train of slack was captured on the Vandalia here yesterday morning, and the miners sidetracked it.

United States marshal is in this locality trying to induce the miners to allow the railroads to move their trains, but the strikers refuse all appeals from the officers and trains of coal sidetracked on the Big Four and Chicago & Eastern Illinois are watched day and night by armed men and women.

A large mob of strikers stopped the passenger on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Monday evening, and held it for several hours before they would permit it to continue its journey. The strikers say they will not allow sufficient coal to be dug to supply the waterworks and the electric light company with fuel, consequently both plants will be forced to close, leaving the city without fire protection or light.

Four of the Spring Valley Striking Rioters Fined.

OTTAWA, Ill., May 30.—Anton Wishroth, Peter Pourk, John Plain and Adelson Volant, four of the Spring Valley strikers who were arrested by the militia at Peru Saturday, plead guilty to a charge of carrying concealed weapons, and were each fined $100 by Judge Weeks yesterday afternoon. Joseph Mouge, also of Spring Valley, said he was a shoemaker, and was on his way to La Salle for leather when arrested. He admitted having a revolver in his possession and was fined $25. The men did not have any money and were taken back to jail.

The leaders of the La Salle riot, who were released on bail, will be given a hearing Saturday. There are now fifteen strikers in jail here, and another dozen will be brought up to-day.

A Captured Coal Train Moved Without Resistance.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., May 30.—The coal train of twenty-five cars captured by the striking miners and held by them at Clinton Locks, was successfully moved yesterday morning toward Chicago by United States Marshal Hawkins, without any resistance on the part of the strikers. It was not necessary for him to call for assistance. The strikers respected the order obtained from the federal court after they were strongly urged to do so by President Dunkerly of the State Miners' association. They were at first inclined to resist.

Being Starved Into Submission.

MISONK, Ill., May 30.—The last of the military companies, but three officers who were sent to La Salle, left here yesterday afternoon for their homes at Peoria. The sheriff has relieved from duty for the present all but ten deputies. Everything is quiet, and from all appearances the miners have all gone to their homes. Trains are running unmolested. The supervisor of this township at a citizens' meeting last night reported that a great many of the miners had applied to him for help, claiming they are in destitute circumstances.

Declined to be an Arbitrator.

CHICAGO, May 30.—Gov. Altgeld declined yesterday to be one of a committee of arbitration with the governors of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio and Indiana to settle the coal strike. He said he was willing to do anything he could to bring about a settlement, but he did not think the proposed board was the proper method in that direction. His principal objection to serving was that the board would not be invested with any power to compel the attendance of any person or to bind either side to abide by the decision.

Workmen Suffering from the Coal and Coke Strike.

BRADDOCK, Pa., May 30.—Braddock is suffering much from the coal and coke strike. The entire Edgar Thomson steel works are practically closed and 3,500 men are idle. The two blast furnaces of the Carey Furnace Co. at Rankin are shut down, and 600 men are out of work there. The Pittsburgh wire works, employing 350 men, are shut down tight for lack of coal. The Duquesne forge at Rankin, employing 200 men, has suspended operation for the same reason.

Pullman Brickmakers go on Strike.

CHICAGO, May 30.—The 100 brickmakers employed by the Pullman company went out on strike yesterday. They claim they have been paid little more than half the union schedule. At the headquarters of the main strikers there is a long line of applicants for relief. Supplies are being received daily.

RUNNING SHORT OF COAL.

The Cleveland Waterworks Will Prepare to Substitute Coal Oil for Fuel.

CLEVELAND, O., May 30.—The waterworks department is running short of coal, and the contractor announces that it is impossible for him to keep up the supply, for which ninety tons are needed daily.

Supt. Kingsley held a consultation with Director Farlet yesterday and it was decided to prepare the furnaces to burn oil as soon as the coal supply gives out.

In the last two weeks there has been a large increase in the receipts of anthracite in this city, and that fuel is beginning to take the place of soft coal in many furnaces which are compelled to keep in operation. The receipts of soft coal have fallen off more than 50 per cent. and are steadily going downward.

LUNG TROUBLE IN CATTLE.

The British Government Will Assist in Elucidating Difficult Points in the Diagnosis.

LONDON, May 30.—In the house of commons, yesterday, Dr. Farquharson, member for Aberdeenshire, asked Mr. Herbert Gardner, president of the board of agriculture, if the government would adopt the suggestion of Prof. Adams, of Montreal, to cause careful bacteriological observations to be made in suspicious cases of lung trouble which might be detected in cattle imported from Canada, thereby elucidating the difficult points in the diagnosis which are admitted to exist between the earlier stages of contagious and noncontagious pleuropneumonia.

Mr. Gardner said that so far as the government had been able to gather bacterial observations the cases had not hitherto yielded any valuable results, as no specific germ had thus far been identified with pleuropneumonia. The government, he said, however, would gladly consider the question further.

An Echo of the Bardsley Bank-Wrecking Scandal.

PHILADELPHIA, May 30.—An echo of the Bardsley scandal in the looting of the Keystone and Spring Garden national banks was heard in the United States district court yesterday when Judge Butler sentenced Ephraim Young, a director of the latter institution, to pay a fine of $500 and serve a term of imprisonment of five years in the eastern penitentiary.

The president, cashier and two directors of the Spring Garden bank are now in the eastern penitentiary for looting the institution.

Sutherland's Sentence.

BROOKLYN, May 30.—Justice Bartlett in the court of oyer and terminer yesterday morning passed sentence on Kenneth F. Sutherland, the returned Gravesend fugitive police justice. It was that after he had spent one year in Sing Sing prison and paid $500 fine (the punishment imposed some time ago by Judge Brown) he be confined for an additional period of one year and eight months and fined $500. Sutherland heard the sentence calmly, though a serious look rested on his face.

Succumbed to Business Paralysis.

BUENOS AYRES, May 29.—Two merchants in this city failed yesterday with large liabilities. Business has become completely paralyzed owing to the continued rise in the premium on gold and the shrinkage in exports.

THE DAY IN CONGRESS.

Report of the Select Senate Committee

TO INVESTIGATE THE SUGAR FRAUDS.

The Hawaiian Resolution Again—Further Consideration of the Lumber Schedule—The State Bank Tax Law in the House.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, May 29.—Senator Gray, chairman of the senate select committee to investigate newspaper statements in which senators are accused of speculating in the stock of the Sugar trust, made a report today that the newspaper correspondents, upon whose statements the inquiry had been ordered, refused to answer certain questions, and also refused to reveal the sources of their information. The point was raised and pressed by Mr. Hill that the report presented no question of privilege. After a long discussion and a hard struggle, his opposition was overborne and a ruling made by the vice-president that the question was one of high privilege, and that the report required no action on the part of the senate, the statute making it his duty to certify the facts to the district attorney, who is then to take action in the premises. And there the matter stood at the adjournment, with an additional resolution, offered by Mr. Dolph for the presentation of recalcitrant witnesses at the bar of the senate senate for contempt of its authority.

The Hawaiian resolution occupied attention during the morning hour, but passed over without final action.

The amendments that were offered to the lumber schedule of the tariff bill on Monday by Mr. Hale, restoring the provisions of the existing law, as to sawed and dressed lumber, and by Mr. Peffer, to replace on the free list, were severally voted down, and an amendment offered by Mr. Allen to put logs, lumber, shingles and common building materials on the free list, was pending at 5:15 when the senate adjourned till Thursday.

HOUSE.

The discussion of the bill to repeal the 10 per cent. state bank tax law was continued in the house to-day. But little progress was made, made, however, in the matter of reducing the number of speakers on the list, only three having been heard during the day—Messrs. Cox (dem., Tenn.) and Black (dem., Ga.) in favor of repeal and Johnson (rep. Ind.) against repeal, and Mr. Black did not conclude his remarks. These were all members of the committee on banking and currency and were given unlimited time. When the house adjourned it was, on motion by Mr. Catchings, until Thursday.

During the morning hour by unanimous consent, the following bills were considered and passed:

Senate bill to pay Capt. John W. Pullman of the eighth cavalry, U. S. A., $1,396 wrongfully withheld by the accounting officers in the settlement of his accounts.

Senate bill granting right of way to the Albany & Astoria Railroad Co. through the Grande Ronde Indian reservation in Oregon.

Senate bill authorizing the Kansas & Arkansas Valley Railroad Co. to construct additional tracks through the Indian territory.

WEATHER CROP BULLITIN.

The Weather Bureau Reports a General Want of Rain and Warm Weather.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The weather bureau crop bulletin for the week ended Monday shows the following reports:

Pennsylvania—Crops along streams and in low lands greatly damaged, some other grounds badly washed and much replanting will be necessary, otherwise reports generally favorable; cut worms plentiful; corn turning yellow; grass improved.

Maryland—Work interrupted by rains; crops generally excellent; some corn washed out and being replanted; tobacco and tomato plants being set; strawberries being shipped. Western berry crop large.

Texas—Cotton crop doing well, but would be improved by rain in western portion; corn tasseling and needs rain in Western districts; wheat harvest commenced; oats need rain.

Arkansas—Weather cool and dry; cotton and corn doing fairly well; crops clean and well cultivated.

Tennessee—Cotton slightly damaged; wheat beginning to ripen; tobacco planting in progress; pastures and grasses good; cut worms damaging corn; warm weather badly needed.

Kentucky—Cloudy, cold and showery; all crops retarded damaged from frost of last week, more serious than first estimated; tobacco setting progresses fairly.

Missouri—Frost of the 19th, 20th and 21st more destructive than at first reported; gardens and potatoes damaged considerably; rain badly needed.

Illinois—Frosts of the 19th and 20th injured corn and much will have to be replanted; wheat generally fine; oats fair; warmer weather needed.

Indiana—Frost in localities killed tender vines and vegetables and injured corn; cereals unhurt.

West Virginia—Floods caused some damage in low lands; cool showery weather retarded vegetation; farming operations at a stand-still.

Ohio—Wet, cold with frosts, damaging corn, tobacco, and garden vegetables; wheat, barley and rye heading; clover blooming and grass and oats making fine growth; tobacco transplanting in progress; corn looking poorly.

Michigan—Wheat, grass and oats making good body.

Opposed to the Domiciled Seamen's Bill.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Harvey D. Goulder and Col. R. C. Parsons, of Cleveland, O., representing the Lake Carriers' association, appeared before the house committee on immigration and naturalization yesterday in opposition to the section of the bill of Mr. Lockwood, of New York, requiring seamen working on vessels on the great lakes to be citizens of the United States or domiciled here for six months before they can be engaged on American vessels.

Floral Tributes to Departed Heroes.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The president gave orders yesterday morning to the gardeners to cut all the best flowers in the White House grounds and place them on the soldiers' and sailors' graves in the national cemetery at Arlington. All the flowers in the gardens surrounding the state, war and navy departments will also be taken for the same purpose.

American Physicans and Surgeons.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—The triennial congress of American physicians and surgeons began in this city yesterday, to continue four days.

Yesterday afternoon's session of the congress was opened by Dr. Linden C. Gray, of New York city, chairman of the executive committee. Dr. Alfred L. Loomis, of New York city, is president of the congress.

Mrs. Fitzgerald Acquitted.

NEW YORK, May 30.—Mrs. Fitzgerald, wife of Policeman Fitzgerald, who has been on trial, charged with murdering Mrs. Carrie Pearsall, has been acquitted. The jury was out only six minutes.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—Smallpox has broken out in the soldiers' home at Milwaukee.

—Gen. Weaver was yesterday nominated for congress from the ninth Iowa district by the populists.

—The Spanish chamber of deputies yesterday passed the first clause of the anti-anarchist bill by a vote of 61 to 14.

—It is said that the Cripple Creek miners intend to capture many leading citizens and take them into the fort on Bullhill to hold as hostages.

—During the term which closed on Saturday the United States supreme court disposed of more than 600 cases and others were taken under consideration.

—A big confederate reunion was held yesterday on the fort Donelson battlefield. Veterans from many states and many distinguished confederates were present.

—It was rumored in Denver, Col., yesterday that the revolutionists at Cripple Creek had captured the telegraph offices. The Western Union wires were not working.

—The bankers and merchants of Cripple Creek, Col., are secreting their valuables, expecting that pillage and carnage by the strikers will break forth at any moment.

—Col. Breckinridge's bill of exceptions having been overruled by Judge Bradley, Gen. Phil Thompson, of Breckinridge's counsel, says that the only thing now left for the Pollard attorneys is to collect the $15,000.

—Mordecai L. Hopkins, the veteran journalist, who was Wilbur F. Storey's right-hand man on the Chicago Times for so many years, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. F. W. Ball, at Grand Rapids, Mich.

—The German government has formally protested against the Anglo-Belgian treaty on the ground that an international convention having fixed the Congo frontiers, only an international agreement is entitled to modify them.

—Everything among the miners at Wenona, Ill., is quiet, all obstructions of the Central track north of that place being removed during Monday night, and the coal train held up Monday went north yesterday without furthur molestation.

—Yesterday when a coal company in the Jellico (Tenn.) district started to lay some new sidetrack at Newcomb, the strikers armed themselves and drove the laborers off, threatening to kill them if they returned. Operators will arm their men.

—A desperate battle between the police and freight-car thieves occurred in the Santa Fe yard at Guthrie, Okla., at 4 a. m. yesterday. Policeman Lester was shot through the head and George Burgess, a negro thief through the body. Both will die.

—Gen. Charles T. Keller's naval division of the Commonweal army, which is floating down the river in boats, arrived at St. Louis Monday night and landed at the foot of Ferry street, just below the Merchants' bridge, where they went into camp, this ground having been set apart for them during their stay by the city.

—Federal Judge Caldwell, who appointed the receivers of the 'Frisco road, threatens to hold the state judiciary for contempt of court if they undertake further proceedings in garnishment cases against the company. The local magistrates talk of defying the federal courts authority in the premises.

—In a telegram which passed between President John McBride of the United Mine Workers at Springfield, Ill., and Secretary P. A. McBride at Columbus, O., yesterday morning, the former stated positively that there was going to be a settlement of the strike there. This it is believed will result in a settlement of the whole strike.

—Companies I and G, state militia of Huntington, W. Va., received word yesterday to get ready and proceed to the Camden mines on the Ohio River road, where an attempt was being made to stop the working coal diggers by Ohio miners. In forty minutes the two companies were on a special train ready to proceed. One company carried a Gatling gun.

NO ACTION DECIDED ON

By Col. Breckinridge's Counsel Since Judge Bradley's Knockout.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Maj. Butterworth, of consul for Col. Breckinridge, was asked as to what action had been decided on with regard to continuing the efforts of securing an appeal of the Pollard-Breckinridge case, in view of the set-back given Col. Breckinridge Monday by Judge Bradley in refusing to approve the bill of exceptions which was necessary to carry the suit to the court of appeals. Maj. Butterworth said that nothing definite had yet been decided on, but when Col. Breckinridge returned to town to-day some action would be taken, as there were several means to which they had recourse.

On inquiry at the court it was learned that one of the ways in which the case could be got before the court of appeals would be through an application for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Bradley to sign the bill of exceptions; but Col. Breckinridge's counsel would not say whether this attempt would be made.

Will Carry the Matter to the Supreme Court.

LEXINGTON, Ky., May 30.—Col. Breckinridge said yesterday that he would carry the matter of Judge Bradley's refusal to allow his counsel to file a bill of exceptions to the supreme court. He declined to express an opinion as to the judge's refusal. Col. Breckinridge says he will not make a personal campaign and laughs at Owens' attack on him, and says it is a sign of defeat to get angry and personal. He is satisfied with the outlook for success. He leaves for Washington to-day.

HUNDREDS OF LIVES LOST

And Great Damage Done to Live Stock and other Property by Floods in India.

CALCUTTA, May 30.—In addition to the loss of 200 lives by the bursting of a dam, formed by a landslip at Charkkupei, Kulu, and the destruction of live stock and dwellings which accompanied it, floods have wrought much damage in north Cachar. The Jetinga has overflowed its banks and inundated an area of hundreds of miles with great loss of life and property. Whole villages have been destroyed in a number of parts of that country. The flood is pronounced to be the most severe in many years.

A Brave and Honorable Man.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 30.—J. J. Johnson, who is one of the officers in charge of the Cripple Creek strikers, is a native of Little Rock, and a West Pointer, and was for years captain of a local military company. His father, now deceased, was a United States senator, and he has one brother here, a banker, one a lawyer, and another a wholesale grocer. For several years past he has been a practical miner. He stands high in this city, and is a brave and honorable man.

To be Dubbed a Doctor.

LONDON, May 30.—The university of Oxford will confer the decree of doctor of civil laws upon Capt. Mahan, of the United States cruiser Chicago, at the commencement exercises in June.

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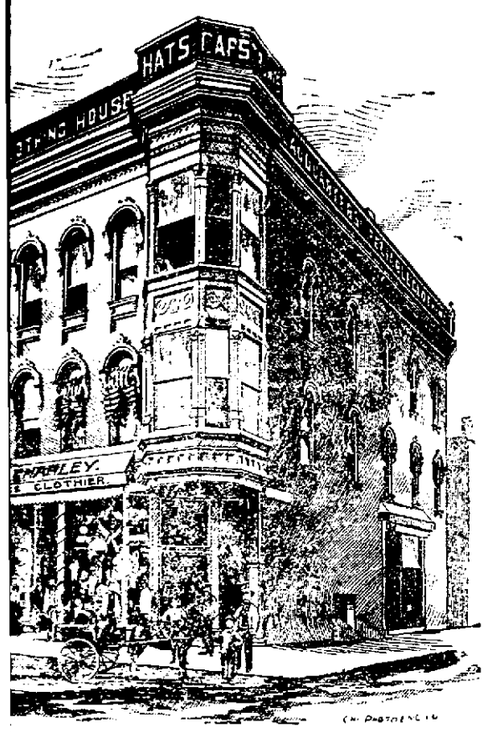

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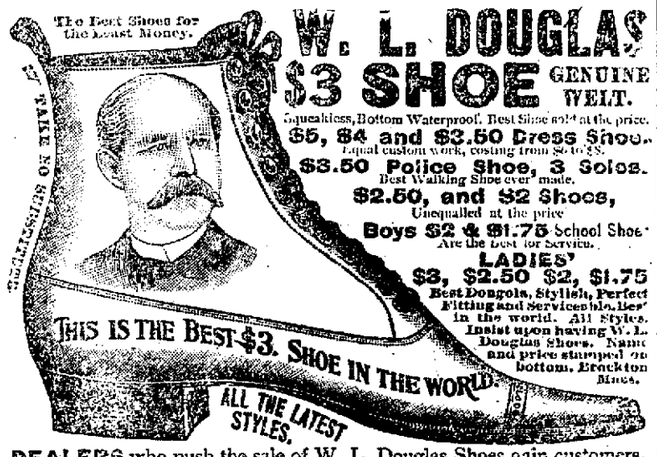

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 30, 1894.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.—Special meeting of Myrtle Temple, No. 2, P. S., Thursday afternoon May 28, at 2:30 o'clock, at Conner de Leon castle hall for officers and staff drill. Visiting Pythian Sisters invited. MRS. LOU WISMER, M. E. C. MRS. LOU SEFFORTH, M. R. C.

LOST—A large neck strap between Jefferson street and cemetery, a reward will be paid for its return to John De Frates, 135 East Jefferson street. 31d6

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We are authorized to announce DAVID S. SHELLABARGER as a candidate for member of the Decatur board of education.

LOCAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, TAILORS.

DEAD SHOT fly paper at Irwin's.

TAKE your prescriptions to Irwin's.

THE noted tragedian, Salvini, and his company, will appear to-morrow night.

TO-DAY a brick foundation was placed under the tabernacle front and rear.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

CHOCOLATE worm candy at Irwin's drug store.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

GOOD people with one accord buy their meats of Young & Dreshach, North Park street.

CALDWELL'S Syrup Pepsin for constipation and sick headache—10 doses for 10 cents.

THE Geo. W. Jones & Co. base ball team went to Bethany to day and the West End club are at Sullivan.

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THE Cumberland Presbyterians will give a strawberry and ice cream festival, Friday evening, June 1st, in the W. C. T. U. Hall.

IRWIN'S Huckleberry phosphate makes a delicious drink.

PROF. LEHMAN'S opera house orchestra, of Springfield, will play for the Salvini engagement here to-morrow night at the Grand.

LADIES' "Blouse" sets, consisting of 3 studs, 1 collar button and 1 pair cuff buttons to match, made in silver in great variety at Otto E. Curtis & Bro's.

THE May Festival will begin to-night at the tabernacle. The rehearsals yesterday afternoon and last night were entirely satisfactory.

AH! YES; I need some insurance, and have some surplus cash to invest in Decatur real estate. I'll just go over and see Gay & Midkiff, 337 North Water street. They're the hustlers, and can fit me out. 29-d5t

MRS. VESTA R. TORREY writes to Decatur friends that she will return to this city in a few weeks. A memorial service for Charles E. Torrey will be held a week from next Sunday at the church at Norwich, N. Y., in which he grew up.

THE business interests of the west side have received an important accession. Adam Kreher & Sons have opened a large and well-stocked meat market at the corner of West King and Monroe streets, which is already doing a thriving business. The gentlemen are well-known, popular citizens, and thoroughly conversant with the wants of the trade.

RUDE the tailor's prices for cleaning and pressing; Suits cleaned and pressed $1.50, pants cleaned and pressed 50c, suits scoured and pressed $2.50, pants scoured and pressed 75c; repairing of all kinds. Work called for and delivered. Telephone 262. Room 6, Syndicate block. May14-dtf

The people at Lincoln have to walk. The cars have stopped running because of the coal famine. Monday they remained in the sheds; Tuesday they were out long enough to accommodate a funeral party, and to-day they were in motion again for the Memorial services. The company will not resume the regular trips until a sufficient supply of coal is assured. In St. Louis on several lines mules have been substituted for steam and electricity.

A. F. SMITH, chairman of the county central committee of the Prohibition party, has issued a call for a county convention of the party, for Tuesday, June 19, at 10:30 a. m. Mr. Smith asks that those who endorse the Prohibition party platform meet in their respective precincts and send three delegates for each precinct to the convention, which will nominate a full county ticket and elect delegates to a senatorial convention. The women of Macon county are invited to attend the convention for counsel and co-operation, but not as delegates, as existing laws of this state does not permit women to act as delegates to a political convention.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Public Services Held at the Opera House--It is Crowded.

Address by Rev. W. C. Miller—Memorial Flower Exercises—Tableau.

Decoration of Soldiers' Graves in the Two Cemeteries—Addresses at the School Houses.

This is Memorial Day, a time when a grateful people, embracing those who lived through the late rebellion and those who have appeared on the scene of life since the great struggle, gather in halls and in cities of the dead to pay tribute by their presence and loving acts to the brave men living and dead who fought for the great principle of universal freedom and gave to posterity the heritage of a free and united country. It is a day of patriotism and gratitude, mingled with sorrowful memories. And while the orators tell the lessons of the great struggle and voice the gratitude of the assemblages, the old veterans and their wives and children listen with tear-dimmed eyes to the touching words, and the old soldiers themselves are made to feel this day at least that they did not brave danger and endure suffering in vain.

THE OBSERVANCE.

There is a display of flags in all parts of the city. Public offices are closed. Business generally is suspended. The schools have been dismissed, and the day is given up to the memorial observance, except in a few instances where sports hold sway. This forenoon committees from the Grand Army of the Republic gathered flowers from the nine public school buildings, brought there by the school children, and after they were fashioned into bouquets by the Woman's Relief Corps, the bright tributes were taken to Greenwood cemetery and to the Catholic cemetery where all the graves of the soldier dead were decorated. James O'Mara, J. S. Wentworth and F. P. Black, committee for the Catholic Knights of America, accompanied the veterans to the Catholic cemetery.

AT THE SCHOOL HOUSES.

Addresses on Memorial Day were delivered at each of the public school buildings for the benefit of the children, and special exercises of an appropriate character were held.

THE PUBLIC SERVICES.

The public exercises of the day were held at the Grand opera house this afternoon, and long before the hour fixed for opening the doors a great crowd of people collected in front of the hall, while the chorus children passed in at the stage entrance to take their places in the balcony. The stage was tastefully decorated with flags, plants and flowers. The central piece was a massive wreath and broken column, the gift of the Catholic Knights of America, which order also furnished the new silk flag displayed on one side of the stage.

The members of Dunham Post, headed by Goodman's band, marched to the residence of the orator of the day and escorted him to the opera house. Dr. Spalding in the carriage with the speaker represented the post committee.

While the Grand Army veterans passed into the hall and took seats in the center, the chorus of 50 children in the balcony, directed by Prof. Westhoff, sang "Marching Thro' Georgia," and at the close of the address the same chorus sang "The Red, White and Blue."

This was the order of exercises on the stage:

Reading of Memorial orders—Adjutant J. A. Reeve.

Address—by Commander J. F. Steele.

Singing by the Quartette—"Gather Flowers"—Mrs. K. Harwood, Miss Nettie Pritchett, Sherman McClelland and Al. Lindamood, with Miss Neta Clark accompanist.

Prayer—by Chaplain J. A. F. King.

Memorial oration—By Rev. W. C. Miller, pastor Congregational church.

Dismissal.

THE MEMORIAL OF FLOWERS.

There was a beautiful service under the caption of "The Memorial of the Flowers and Guarding the Flags," designed by Kate Brownlee Sherwood, author of "Campfire and Memorial Poems." was presented under the direction of Mrs. K. Harwood, Mrs. Effie R. Kennedy, Mrs. T. B. Spalding, Mrs. E. T. Seger and other ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps. On one side of the stage, which was profusely decorated with flags, evergreens and flowers, there was placed a broken column rising from a pedestal, covered with evergreens, and bearing the inscription, "Our Unknown Dead." At a given signal the young ladies and girls representing the 44 states of the Union came on the stage in a pretty march, each carrying a small flag and flowers. A stanza for each state was recited, and all united in singing "America," all kneeling when the words "Our Father's God to Thee" were reached, each holding up a flag. The kneeling position was retained, when the curtain at the rear was raised, revealing the God of Liberty, personated by Miss Bessie Spalding, holding a large flag, with J. M. Allen, Frank Miller and C. E. Wise; in S. V. uniform of veterans standing on each side. Colored lights were used for the patriotic tableaux and the effect was strikingly beautiful. The states were represented as follows:

Maine—Miss Badenhausen.
New Hampshire—Flora Wackerle.
Vermont—Lillian Friend.
Massachusetts—Josie Epler.
Rhode Island—Gertie Keeler.
Connecticut—Hazel Kennedy.
New York—Vera Hart.
Pennsylvania—Mabel Vorley.
New Jersey—Dessie Keeler.
Delaware—Ella Reeve.
Maryland—Jessie Martin.
Virginia—Carrie Simeral.
West Virginia—Birdie Ditzler.
North Carolina—Nora Lyons.
South Carolina—Nell Keeler.
Georgia—Grace Hubbard.
Alabama—Pearle Higginbotham.
Florida—Josie Rike.
Ohio—Emma Mutherspaugh.
Indiana—Opal Keeney.
Illinois—Laura Jenkins.
Michigan—Lillian King.
Wisconsin—Jennie Badenhausen.
Kentucky—Stella Trotter.
Missouri—Edna Depew.
Iowa—Pansy Eichinger.
Minnesota—Julia Park.
Nebraska—Luella Love.
Kansas—Marie Constant.
Mississippi—Lulu Kelly.
Louisiana—Maud Davis.
Arkansas—Laura McNiel.
Texas—Sybil Williams.
Tennessee—Mary Martin.
Nevada—Irene Bramble.
California—Gertie Wackerle.
Oregon—Corrinne Leach.
Montana—Hazel Whitmer.
North Dakota—Mabel Brant.
South Dakota—Fannie Fremont.
Washington—Nell Hall.
Colorado—Effie Wayne.
Wyoming—Hazel White.
Idaho—Clara Belle Bullock.
District of Columbia—Anna Hutchinson.

Miss Hutchinson recited these lines from "Cook's Memorial Ode:"

They knew not what sweet duty
We come each year to pay,
Nor heed the blooms of beauty
The garland gifts of May,
Strewn here to-day.

"The night time and the day time,
The rise and set of sun,
The winter and the May time,
To them whose work is done
Are all as one."

Then o'er mine eyes there floated
A vision of the land
Where their brave souls, promoted
To Heaven's own armies, stand
At God's right hand.

From out the mighty distance
I seem to see them gaze
Back on the old existence,
Back on the battle blaze
Of war's dead days.

"The flowers shall fade and perish,"
In largest faith spoke I;
"But these dear names we cherish
Are written in the sky,
And cannot die."

Immediately after the services the procession was formed and the column moved to Greenwood cemetery, where the service of scattering flowers over the graves of the fallen heroes was observed and salutes were fired.

EVENTS OF THE DAY.

The following events are booked for the day:

Balloon ascension by the Cole Brothers at 4:30 p. m. at Riverside Park and band concert at night.

Gun club shoot this afternoon at the East Park grounds.

Ball games: Calumet club vs. Y. M. C. A. nine; Linn & Scruggs club, and Mail Carriers club; Fifth Ward Stars and Moore's Ponies. The Marietta Stars went to Blue Mound, and the West Enders to Sullivan.

The International Conference of Anglican Missionary Societies.

LONDON, May 30.—The delegates to the international conference of Anglican missionary societies assembled in St. Paul's cathedral yesterday morning where a communion service was held. The members then adjourned to St. James hall, where the regular business of the conference was taken up. The archbishop of Canterbury addressed the conference on the subject of the missionaries' vocation and the training necessary to make missionaries conversant with the life and thought of the people to whom they are assigned as teachers.

The Rt. Rev. Dr. Talbot, bishop of Wyoming and Bishop Hale, of Cairo, Ill., discussed the subject of the call to missionary work, its peculiar significance and high importance.

Ketchum Caught 'Em.

WASHINGTON, May 30.—Bids were opened yesterday in the treasury department for steel and iron beams, etc., for the Washington post office building. Brown & Ketcham, of Indianapolis, Ind., were the lowest bidders at $39,533.

Honors.

After the Illinois Populist convention adjourned at Springfield last night, the state central committee was organized. A. L. Maxwell, of Flat Rock, Crawford county, was elected chairman, and W. E. R. Kell, of Decatur, Macon county, secretary and treasurer, both for a period of two years.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. C. E. Akers is in Chicago visiting friends.

Miss Laura Johns has returned from Chicago.

John Irwin is in a very precarious condition.

Mrs. Clyde Boyer is visiting relatives in Clinton.

Attorney C. C. Leforgee is in St. Louis on business.

Mrs. Frank E. Bunn has returned from Atlanta.

Mrs. Helen Robbins has gone to Lake Sanadaigua, N. Y.

Gus Ahrens was in Blue Mound yesterday on business.

Mrs. Aberhart, of Springfield, is the guest of Mrs. John Mattes.

Nelson McKinley, of Oreana, spent the city on a visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Humble and family are in Monticello to day.

Mrs. C. S. Hankins returned to-day from a visit with relatives at Virginia.

Mrs. Chas. Dawson is in Paris visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Adams.

T. M. Ayers, of Oreana, left last night for Garnett, Kansas, for the benefit of his health.

Dr. L. H. Clark departed yesterday for southern Missouri. He will be absent about ten days and while away will visit Rich Hill and his parents at Butler.

H. P. Hanthorn, who for some months past has been connected with the undertaking firm of J. A. Reeve, left this morning for California. While there he will visit Los Angeles, San Bernardino, Riverside, San Diego, San Francisco and the Midwinter Fair. The trip is one of pleasure and business combined.

Democrats to Hold Conventions

The special meeting of the Macon County Democratic Central Committee was held this afternoon at the office of the chairman, H. C. Montgomery, in the court house. It was decided to call the county convention to be held in Decatur on Saturday, June 23, at 10 a. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state, congressional and senatorial conventions. A later convention will nominate the county ticket.

NOTES.

TAYLORVILLE, Ill., May 29.—The Republicans of Christian County in county convention to-day instructed the delegates to the Congressional convention for Major James A. Connolly for Congressman, Connolly for Congress and indorsed Senator Shelby M. Cullom for his vigorous and able defense of Republican principles. The convention nominated J. E. Shamel of this city for representative.

CLINTON, Ill., May 29. At the Republican county convention to-day Col. Pat Warner, of Clinton, received the unanimous indorsement for congressman. Charles Mansfield, of Piatt county, was applauded for his announcement that Piatt would support Col. Warner. Dr. W. H. Taylor, of Weldon, was indorsed for the legislature. Prof. J. H. Brownlee of Champaign, was indorsed as the choice of the convention for state Superintendent of Instruction.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

LAKE CITY.

Quite a number from our village attended Decoration day exercises at Lovington.

Rev. Cable from Iowa preached at the M. E. church last Sunday night.

Miss Lottie Winings, accompanied by her grandfather, is visiting relatives in Iowa.

Miss Belle Reed of Decatur spent Sunday with friends at this place.

Dr. E. V. Miller did business in Decatur Monday.

Jno. McDermott and wife, of Decatur, are visiting among relatives in our village this week.

Mr. Wm. Winings and wife visited with friends at Brockton last week.

Mr. Jerry Minich and wife, of Milmine, attended the commencement exercises and visited friends in our village last week.

Mr. Howard Bethell, of Decatur, spent Sunday with his parents near this place.

Morrison & Ault lost a valuable horse Saturday night, also George Vansickle lost two the week. Farcy is being entertained of some contagious disease among the horse family.

Notwithstanding the bad weather the commencement exercises of the Lake City school drew quite a crowd. Everything went off in order. Charles Cox, of Terre Haute, was present and sang two bass solos which were highly appreciated by the audience.

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur, Ill., postoffice May 29, 1894. Please say advertised when called for:

GENTS' LIST.

Beaman Samuel	Herrington W S
Cooper Eph	Harkleroad W S
Densmore N J	Houckins Frank
Delbridge E F	Jacobs John
Doyle E B	Kollman Charles
Embrey W E	Moore Ed
Gilbert J E	Patton W H
	Williams Ted

LADIES' LIST.

Dixon Mrs Jessie J	Rose Miss Grace
Hammons Mrs J F	Rupp Miss Sadie
Kommel Miss Alice	Shouse Miss Mamie
Kessler Nettie	Sibert Miss Mary
Kelly Miss Rosa	Smith Mrs A
Montgomery Mrs F	Smith Mrs Frank
McKay Mrs James	White Miss Mary S
Mogg Mrs M E	Williams Miss Mattie
McCoerty Miss M	Wood Mrs R
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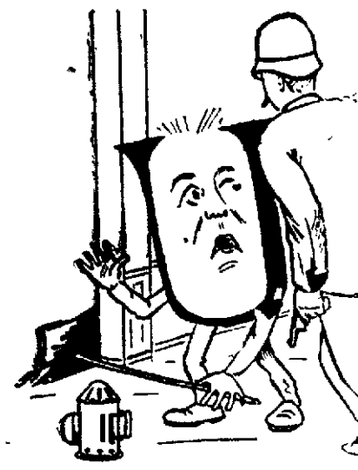

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